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Jefferson, N. C.

AUGUST 17-18, 1961

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Warrensville, N. C.

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West Jefferson, N. C.

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REV. E. A. ELLER

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ecretary and Treasurer.....Mrs. J. T. McMillan, West Jefferson, N. C.
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ınbeam Director.....Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
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ayer Chairman.....Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
ission Study Chairman.....Mrs. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.
mmunity Missions Chairman.....Mrs. Marvin Osborne, West Jefferson, N. C.
terature Chairman.....Mrs. Worth Phillips, West Jefferson, N. C.
argaret Fund Chairman.....Mrs. R. C. Shoaf, Warrensville, N. C.
ıbilee Chairman.....Mrs. Walter Maye, West Jefferson, N. C.

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Director of Publicity and Promotion.....Mrs. W. P. Shiflett, Warrensville, N. C
Director of Training.....Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson, N. C

STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1962

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Hospital.....Rev. J. Herman Gentr
Pastors' Salaries and Ministerial Retirement.....Rev. R. R. Campbe
Homes for Aging.....Mrs. F. L. Wadde
Christian Education.....Mrs. Pauline Phipp
Christian Literature.....Marvin Osborn
American Bible Society.....Mrs. W. T. Whittingto
Temperance and Public Morals.....Rev. H. M. Winkl
Evangelism.....Rev. W. T. Bracke
Associational Missions.....Rev. Audley Frazi
Sunday School.....Rev. Arnold Be
Training Union.....D. C. Seve
W. M. U.....Mrs. Ralph Parson
Brotherhood.....Guy T. Shatle
Ministerial Conference.....Rev. John Goodma
Music Committee.....Mrs. Audley Frazi

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C. M. Payne.....West Jefferson, N. C

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Associate Director.....Rev. Audley Frazier, West Jefferson, N. C
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Secretary and Treasurer.....Mrs. T. D. Watson, West Jefferson, N. C

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Beginner.....Mrs. Earl Hopkins, West Jefferson, N.
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Junior.....Rev. A. E. Sells, Jefferson, N.
Intermediate.....Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N.
Young People.....Robert Fletcher, Fleetwood, N.
Adult.....Rev. J. Herman Gentry, West Jefferson, N.

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roup I.....Mrs. Glen McCoy, Creston, N. C.
roup II.....Frank Roten, Lansing, N. C.
roup III.....Mrs. Bill Eggers, Grassy Creek, N. C.
roup IV.....Mrs. Leonard Hudler, West Jefferson, N. C.
roup V.....Sanford Howell, Fleetwood, N. C.
roup VI.....Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.

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uperintendent.....Rev. Arnold Bell, Deep Gap, N. C.
uperintendent of Training.....Rev. John Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.
uperintendent of Evangelism and Enlargement...Rev. G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
ecretary and Treasurer.....Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing, N. C.
acation Bible School Superintendent.....Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.
horister.....Grover Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
anist.....Miss Nancy Dillard, Jefferson, N. C.

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radle Roll.....Mrs. Ronald Halsey, Grassy Creek, N. C.
ursery.....Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, N. C.
eginner.....Mrs. Nettie McNeill, West Jefferson, N. C.
imary.....Mrs. Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.
unior.....Mrs. A. E. Sells, Jefferson, N. C.
termediate.....Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson, N. C.
oung People.....Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N. C.
dult.....Marvin Osborne, West Jefferson, N. C.

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roup I.....Johnie Roten, Grayson, N. C.
roup II.....James Eller, Lansing, N. C.
roup III.....Mrs. Doris Woodruff, Grassy Creek, N. C.
roup IV.....Roby Swift, West Jefferson, N. C.
roup V.....Burl Hartzog, Fleetwood, N. C.
roup VI.....Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.

BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS

esident.....Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson
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Rev. G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
Rev. Wm. P. Shiflett, Warrensville, N. C.
ce-President.....Marvin Osborne, West Jefferson, N. C.
ecretary.....Jack Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.
yal Ambassador Leader.....Bill Hardin, West Jefferson, N. C.
ristian Witness Leader.....Clark Church, Fleetwood, N. C.
rsonal Stewardship Leader.....S. B. Howell, Fleetwood, N. C.
orld Missions Leader.....A. D. Goodman, West Jefferson

ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1962 Calendar of Activities

JANUARY

7	Soul Sinning Commitment Day
8-12	Bible Study Week
15-19	Preachers' School
15-19	State S.S. Leadership Clinic, Winston Salem, First
16	S.S. Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
18	W.M.U. & Brotherhood Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
19	Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
24-26	State V.B.S. Clinic, Wingate
27	Pastors Conference, 10:00 A.M.

FEBRUARY

4	Baptist World Alliance Sunday
13	Music & B.T.U. Committees Meet, 7:30 P.M.
12-14	State Evangelistic Conference, Greensboro, First
15	Sunday School Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
18	Special Day & Offering for Homes for Aging
24	Pastors Conference, 10 A.M.

MARCH

5-9	W.M.U. Week of Prayer for Home Missions & Offering
11	Home Missions Day in S.S.
13	W.M.U. & Brotherhood Committees Meet, 7:30 P.M.
15	B.T.U. Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
13-15	State W.M.U. Annual Session, Asheville, First
24	Pastors Conference, 10:00 A.M.
25	Hymn Sing, 2:30 P.M.
26-30	Church Membership Study Week

APRIL

1-8	Youth Week
6	Baptist Youth Night, 7:30 P.M.
8	Cooperative Program Anniversary Sunday
8	Life Commitment Sunday
8-13	Week of Prayer for Associational Missions
10	S.S. Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
12	W.M.U. & Brotherhood Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
13	Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
19	Regional B.T.U. Meeting, Fair Plains Church, Stone Mtn.
20	V.B.S. Clinic, 4-9 P.M.
21	Pastors' Conference, 10:00 A.M.
26	W.M.U. Annual Meeting
27	Regional Brotherhood Meeting

MAY

4-6	State B.T.U. Youth Convention
6-13	Christian Home Week
13	Mothers' Day Offering for Hospital
13-19	G.A. Focus Week
15	Music & B.T.U. Committees Meet, 7:30 P.M.
17	Sunday School Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
26	Pastors' Conference, 10:00 A.M.

JUNE

Vacation Bible School Promotion

4-5	So. W.M.U. Annual Meeting, San Francisco, Calif.
5-8	So. Baptist Convention, San Francisco, Calif.

12 W.M.U. & Brotherhood Committees, Meet, 7:30 P.M.
14 B.T.U. Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
17 Christian Education Day
23 Pastors' Conference, 10:00 A.M.
24 Hymn Sing, 2:30 P.M.

JLY
2-6 Week of Christian Study & Associational Missionaries Conference, Mars Hill College
10 Sunday School Committee Meeting, 8:00 P.M.
12 W.M.U. & Brotherhood Meeting 8:00 P.M.
13 Executive Committee Meeting, 8:00 P.M.

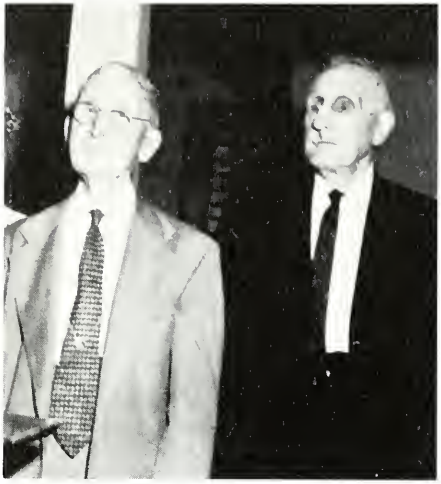
UGUST
2-18 Sunbeam Focus Week
14 Music & B.T.U. Committees Meet, 8:00 P.M.
6-17 Annual Associational Meeting, Warrensville & Friendly Grove
25 Pastors' Conference

EPTEMBER
0-14 Week of Prayer for State Missions
0-11 S.S. Convention, Greensboro, First
11 W.M.U. & Brotherhood Committees Meet, 7:30 P.M.
13 B.T.U. Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
16 State Missions Day in S.S.
7-21 Training Planning Meeting for Associational Officers
22 Pastors' Conference, 10:00 A.M.
23 Promotion Day
24-30 S.S. Preparation Week

OCTOBER
8 State Brotherhood Conference
9 S.S. Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
11 W.M.U. & Brotherhood Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
12 Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
15-19 Group Music Schools
21 Hymn Sing, 2:30 P.M.
27 Pastors' Conference, 10:00 A.M.

NOVEMBER
4-10 R.A. Focus Week
6 Music & B.T.U. Committees Meet, 7:30 P.M.
8 S.S. Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
13-15 Baptist State Convention, Raleigh
16 Evangelistic Clinic
19-23 Thanksgiving Offering, Childrens' Homes
24 Pastors' Conference

DECEMBER
3 "M" Night
3-7 Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions
9 Foreign Missions Day in S.S.
11 W.M.U. & Brotherhood Committees Meet, 7:30 P.M.
18 Carol Sing
22 Pastors' Conference, 10:00 A.M.
30 Student Night at Christmas



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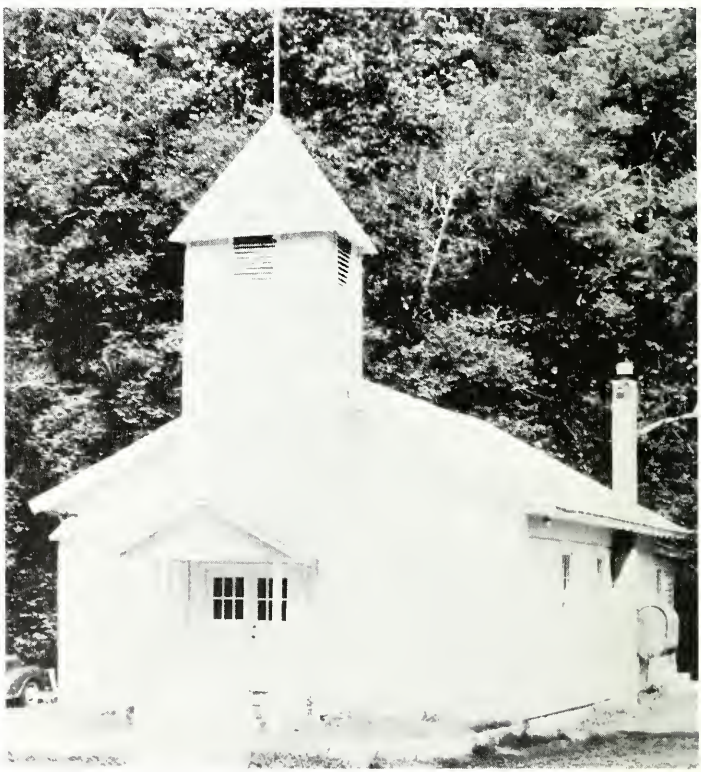

PROGRAM

ASHE MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1962 SESSION

WARRENSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

August 16, 1962

MORNING SESSION

:00 Worship, Song, Scripture, Prayer - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Rev. W. P. Shiflett
:15 Organization and Business
1. Seating of Messengers
2. Adoption of Program
3. Recognition of Visitors and New Pastors
4. Appointment of Committees
:30 Business Session
1. Report of Executive Committee- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Rev. G. C. Burkett
2. Report of Associational Missions- - - - - - - - - Rev. Audley B. Frazier
3. Report of Treasurer - McDaniel Harless
4. Report of Finance Committee- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Rev. R. C. Ashley
5. Report of Committee on Proposed Constitution
6. Election of Officers for next year
:30 Congregational Song
:35 Our Churches at Work
1. Sunday School Report - Rev. Arnold Bell
2. Training Union Report - D. C. Severt
3. W. M. U. Report- Mrs. Ralph Parsons
4. Brotherhood Report- Guy T. Shatley
5. Music Committee Report- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Mrs. Audley Frazier
:20 Music
:25 Associational Sermon- Rev. Arnold Bell
Alternate: Rev. A. P. Howell
:00 Recess for Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

:15 Worship, Song, Prayer
:25 Churches and Christian Missions
1. Report on Christian Education - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Miss Pauline Phipps
2. Report on State, Home, Foreign Missions- - - - - - - - - - Rev. Edgar Denny
3. Report on Christian Literature- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Marvin Osborne
:00 Adjourn

FRIENDLY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

AUGUST 17, 1962

MORNING SESSION

00 Worship, Song, Scripture, Prayer

9:15 Miscellaneous Business
1. Election of Officers for all Organizations
2. Election of Executive Committee
3. Election of Finance Committee
9:45 The Churches in the Community
1. Report on Public Morals ..... Rev. H. M. Winkle
2. Report on Evangelism ..... Rev. W. T. Bracket
10:10 Song
10:15 Report on American Bible Society ..... Mrs. W. T. Whittingto
10:25 The Churches and the Ministry
1. Report of Ministerial Conference ..... Rev. John Goodma
2. Report on Pastors' Salaries and Ministerial Retirement.....
Rev. R. R. Campbel
10:50 Decision on Proposed Constitution
11:20 Music
11:25 Missionary Sermon ..... Rev. W. T. Bracket
12:00 Recess for Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:15 Worship in Song and Prayer
1:25 Address
2:00 The Churches and Benevolent Services
1. Report on Children's Homes ..... Rev. Roe Pasle
2. Report on Hospital ..... Rev. J. Herman Gentr
3. Report on Homes for Aging ..... Mrs. F. L. Waddel
2:45 Miscellaneous Business
1. Report on Place and Preacher
2. Report of Resolutions Committee
3. Reading and Approval of Minutes
3:00 Memorial Service ..... Rev. R. R. Campbel
Adjourn

CONSTITUTION

Article 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Association.

Objects

Article 2. The object of this Association shall be an organized effort to uni the churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and adjacent counties into more efficie work for the spread of the gospel in our bounds, and in all the world, and in th work the Association will cooperate with the Baptist State Convention.

Article 3. The membership of this body shall be all the ordained ministers of t Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appoin ment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall b sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Organization

Article 4. At each annual session of the body there shall be elected a Moderato Clerk and Treasurer. This election shall take place hereafter at the sitting of t

ssociation instead of at the close of the session. Those elected shall serve through ne next session.

Duties of Officers

Article 5. The Moderator shall preside at all meetings, preserve order, appoint ommittees, and perform such duties as are required of presiding officers.

Article 6. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the proceedings of the body nd superintend the printing and distribution to the churches, the proceedings of ne body.

Article 7. The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds sent to the Association, o pay them out as the Association may direct, and make a report at each annual ession.

Place

Article 8. The Association shall hold an annual meeting at such place as may e agreed upon.

Appointments

Article 9. At each annual meeting there shall be appointed an Executive Committee f six brethren and/or sisters (one from each Sunday School or Training Union ivision), whose duty it shall be to cooperate with the officers and pastors of the ssociation and the General Board of the Baptist State Convention in promoting nd advancing the work of the denomination within the bounds of the Association; act for the Association in any necessary matter between sessions and to make report to the Association at the next annual session.

That the Moderator of the Association, Associational Sunday School Director, ne Associational B. T. U. Director, the W. M. U. Associational President, the ssociational President of the Brotherhood, the Moderator of the Ministerial Conference, and/or Chairman of the Finance Committee, Clerk, Director of Music and ssociational Missionary shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Committee.

Article 10. The Association shall convene annually on Thursday before the hird Sunday in August. At each annual session, there shall be appointed committees o make reports to the ensuing session on the following subjects, to wit: State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Pastoral Support, Ministerial Education, Church Letters, Finance, Place and Preacher for the Next Association, Baptist Hospital, Orphanage, Baptist Homes for the Aging, Temperance and Public Morals nd Evangelism.

Order of Religious Exercises

Article 11. Each annual session shall be introduced by a sermon by some brother reviously appointed.

Article 12. In addition to the introductory sermon the Committee on Religious xercises shall arrange at least one other sermon each day the Association is in ession. All business shall be suspended while the sermon is being delivered, but o sermon shall be scheduled while the Association is engaged in a business session.

Prerogatives

Article 13. The Association will not retain in permanent fellowship any church hat retains in its fellowship any member who is disorderly in doctrine or practice, r who makes, sells or in any way deals in ardent spirits as a beverage.

Constitution-How Amended

Article 14. This Constitution may be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at any annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.
2. We believe that the Bible, the New Testament, is the Word of God and the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.
4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ
5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.
6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgement.
9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishmen of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.
2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once tak his seat.
3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator and not proceed until he is recognized.
4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission c the body.
5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house c hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesu Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in th name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presenc of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenan with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christia love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfo to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, disciplin and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospe through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educat our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk cir cumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessiv anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; an to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each ther in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian ympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always eady for reconciliation, and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without elay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as ossible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this ovenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINISTERS NOT SERVING AS PASTORS

. C. Ashley ..... Bel Air, Md.
ohn A. Campbell ..... Grayson, N. C.
esse Denny ..... Grayson, N. C.
Vesley Eldreth ..... Jefferson, N. C.
. H. Gentry ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
pencer Goodman ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
arl E. Hall ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
lmer Hamm ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
erbert Mason ..... Jefferson, N. C.
. O. Mullis ..... Jefferson, N. C.
ames Miller ..... Eubank, Ky.
mith Miller ..... Burlington, N. C.
oger Osborne ..... Fig, N. C.
ugene Phillips ..... Modena, Pa.
homas Salmon ..... Jefferson, N. C.
orter Sexton ..... Darlington, Md.
. M. Sexton ..... Lansing, N. C.
lph Smith ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
m. F. Vannoy ..... Todd, N. C.
le J. Vannoy ..... Todd, N. C.
ob Woodruff ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
lenn Woodie ..... West Jefferson, N. C.

RETIRED PASTORS

. J. Cokerham ..... Crumpler, N. C.
L. Dolinger ..... Jefferson, N. C.
. M. Winkler ..... Fleetwood, N. C.

MINUTES
ASHE MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

August 17, 1961 the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association opened its seventy fth session for the purpose of transacting business. The session opened with song ed by the Rev. W. P. Shiflett and the devotional by Rev. R. C. Ashley in the absence f the host pastor Rev. Frank Tucker who was absent due to a death in his family.

MODERATOR'S PERIOD

Seating of the messengers and pastors.

Motion made to adopt program as the procedure of the association. Program lopted.

The following visitors were recognized:

Rev. C. P. Gowin ..... Forest City, N. C.
Rev. Herbert Caldwell ..... North Wilkesboro, N. C.

The following new pastors were recognized:

Rev. W. T. Brackett ..... Friendly Grove Church.
Rev. Billy J. Dixon ..... Bristol Church

The following Committees were appointed:

Place and Preacher: Rev. Roe Pasley, Grover Marsh, Earl Hartzog.

Executive Committee: Paul Phipps, D. C. Severt, H. M. Winkler.

Resolution Committee: A. D. Goodman, Jewel Blevins, J. E. Goodman.

Report of the Executive Committee: Rev. G. C. Burkett, Motion made to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report of Associational Missionary by Rev. Audley Frazier. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Treasury's Report by McDaniel Harless. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report of finance committee given by Rev. R. C. Ashley. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on finances of the home for missionary by Rev. G. C. Burkett. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report of the building committee by D. C. Severt. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

The following officers were elected and approved by the association:

Moderator ..... George West.
Vice-Moderator ..... R. C. Ashley.
Clerk and Treasurer ..... McDaniel Harless.

Motion made that the program be changed as follows: That the time for commerating the 75th Anniversary of the Ashe Association be moved up 30 minutes and that C. W. Bazemore be given time preceding this to discuss Christian Literature. Motion adopted.

Program on 75th Anniversary by Ira T. Johnston, David Harless, A. D. Goodman. Motion made to print the summary of the associational work for the past 75 years in this year's minute. Motion adopted.

Motion made that the history be included in the minutes. Motion adopted.

Discussion on Christian literature by C. W. Bazemore.

The following visitors were recognized and spoke in behalf of Christian Education:

Dr. L.H. Hollingsworth, Dr. Glenn Blackburn, Edd Crissman-Wake Forest
Tom Gelyspe- - - - - - -Gardner Webb
Bill Lynch- - - - - - - - -Mars Hill

Rev. Herbert McCoy spoke in behalf of Fruitland Bible Institute.

Associational Sermon--Rev. G. L. Denney.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

After a very delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session

Report on Committee on Proposed constitution by Rev. R. R. Campbell. Motion made that discussion cease and that the constitution be adopted. Standing vote taken. 45 voted for adoption with 58 voting against. Motion did not carry.

Motion made that vote on the proposed constitution be re-considered with

he elimination of Section 5 of Article 5 and that the last sentence of Section 7, Article 4. Motion defeated by standing vote 38 for and 62 against.

Motion that the report of the committee on new churches be called for motion adopted.

Motion that we accept Calvary Baptist Church into the membership of the association. Motion carried.

Report on Children's Home by Rev. Lee Waddell. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted. Discussion by Vernon Sparrow.

Report on Baptist Hospital by Rev. J. H. Gentry. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted. Discussion by Dr. W. K. McGee.

Report on Home for Aged by Mrs. F. L. Waddell. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Sunday School report by Rev. Arnold Bell. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Training Union Report by D. C. Severt. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

W. M. U. Report by Mrs. R. C. Parsons. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Brotherhood report by Guy T. Shatley. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Music Committee report by Mrs. Cecil Shoaf. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on ministerial conference by Rev. John Goodman. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on pastors salary & Ministerial Retirement by Rev. W. T. Whittington Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The Friday Morning Session opened with a Devotional led by the host pastor, Rev. A. E. Sells. Delegates and pastors recognized. The following visitor was recognized. Mr. Wright of the King Mountain Association.

Motion made that the Report of the Nominating Committee on the Executive Committee was approved and the persons named and elected. Motion adopted

Motion was made that the Report of the Nominating Committee for Training Union Department Officers be accepted. Report adopted.

Motion was made that the Report of the Nominating Committee for Brotherhood Officers be accepted. Report adopted.

Motion was made that the Report of the Nominating Committee for the Sunday School Department Officers be accepted. Report adopted.

Motion was made that the Report of the Nominating Committee for the Music Committee Officers be accepted. Report adopted.

Motion was made that the Association elect a Finance Committee whose responsibility will be to make a budget and work out plans to raise the budget in cooperation with the Executive Committee. Motion carried.

Motion was made that the Finance Committee be composed of three Brethren or Sisters. Motion carried.

The present Finance Committee - R. C. Ashley, Guy T. Shatley, C. M. Payne was nominated. This committee was approved by the Association.

Motion was made that the matter of Place and Preacher be referred to the Executive Committee in the event the appointed committee for this purpose does not make a report during this session of the Association. Motion adopted.

Motion was made that we authorize the Executive Committee to appoint a committee out of the Executive Committee to work with the Clerk in the supervision of the printing of the Minutes. Motion adopted.

Report on Christian Education. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on State, Home, Foreign Missions by Rev. R. R. Campbell. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted. Discussion by Mrs. A. E. Sell and Dr. Douglas Branch.

Report on American Bible Society. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted. Discussion by Rev. G. C. Burkett.

Motion was made that the Committee on the Proposed New Constitution be continued and that there be added to the Committee Rev. Paul Phipps and Rev Elwood Goodman. The Committee to be instructed to bring back a report to the next Session of the Association to be given the First Day of the Association and the matter to be voted on the Second Day. A copy of the Revised Document to be furnished to the Churches at least 30 days before the meeting of the Association. A Standing Vote was taken. Motion carried. (53 for 9 against).

Missionary Sermon--------Rev. Wm. P. Shiflett.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

After a very delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session.

Message--"Advance Program of Christian Education" by Dr. Douglas Branch.

Visitors were recognized. They were as follows: Mrs. Belva Gregory, Missionary in Stone Mountain Association: Cecil Edgepath--Newland; Mr. & Mrs. E. C Blevins--Stone Mountain.

In the absence of B. H. Duncan a motion was made that the report on Public Morals be incorporated in the Minutes. Motion carried.

Report on Evangelism by Rev. W. T. Brackett. Motion was made to adopt report Report adopted.

Report on Christian Literature by Miss Pauline Phipps. Motion to adopt report Report adopted.

Report of Resolutions Committee. Motion that the first part of the report be adopted. This was adopted. Motion was made that the second part of the Committees Report be adopted. Report adopted by Standing Vote.

Motion that the Minutes be dedicated to Joe Johnson and E. C. Eller and tha a picture of the above be included in the Minutes. Motion adopted.

Motion was made that a picture of Rev. E. A. Eller, a deceased minister, be included in the Minutes providing that a picture could be obtained. The motion was approved by the Association.

There was a motion to adopt the Minutes without reading the Minutes. Motion carried.

Motion that at the close of the Memorial Service be the Closing of the 75th Session of the Ashe Association. Motion carried.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee met quarterly and had one called meeting to carry on the work for the past year. The following served as officers:

Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chairman and Rev. Audley B. Frazier, Secretary.

Several items of business claimed our attention during the year. We have tried to work faithfully to carry on this business in the best interest of our Association. Items of business are as follows:

1. We approved the application of the Warrensville Baptist Church for pastoral aid and the application of the Pleasant Branch Baptist Church for aid on church lot for new building from the Division of Missions of the N. C. Baptist State Convention.

2. We suggested and approved the application for a missionary supplement for $1800 from Division of Missions of our Convention.

3. We elected the following Officers for the Ashe Seminary Extension Center: Rev. R. C. Ashley, Director; Guy T. Shatley, Registrar: Committeemen, Rev. R. R. Campbell, Rev. Audley Frazier, Mrs. Ralph Parson, Miss Mary Jordan, Marvin Osborne.

4. The major part of our work was the promotion of plans and procedures to build the Missionary Home. Much of the responsibility was delegated to the Building Committee. We commend them for a job well done. (A complete report will be given from the Chairman of the Building Committee).

5. The final item of concern was the promotion of our Mission Budget for this year and the projection of plans for the coming year.

We make the following recommendations: (1) We recommend the monthly plan of giving to our Associational Mission Program and urge all our churches to participate. 2) We recommend The Cooperative Program Plan of giving to World Missions and recommend that our churches increase their Cooperative Program giving 35% above this years giving and churches not giving this year to give 10% of their total offering plate dollar next year through the Cooperative Program - this will be in keeping with our Baptist State Convention suggested goal to increase our giving to meet an urgent need of our seven Baptist Colleges.

Respectfully submitted,
G. C. Burkett, Chm.
Ashe Executive Committee

REPORT ON STATE, HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

Consider these propositions: The world in the mess that it is in. The great needs of mankind, among which the need for a consciousness of forgiveness of sin and of right spiritual attitudes is paramount. The expressed and implied commandments of Jesus to meet those needs through the gospel. These, along with other considerations, form the back-drop of State, Home, and Foreign Missions.

The writer of this report is not going to discuss Christ's commands, nor is he going to go into detail concerning the work of our denomination as we attempt to carry out those commands. Such information is available through the pages of the Bible, the BIBLICAL RECORDER, SOUTHERN BAPTIST HOME MISSIONS, THE COMMISSION and the various pamphlets and reports of the agencies themselves, and, also, through the preaching of well informed pastors. Let it be sufficient to say that the Co-operative Program is the life-line of missionary support.

Now a look closer home. During the associational year now closing (1960-61) our churches in the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association made the following gifts toward the support of World Missions: Through the Co-operative Program we gave $5,258.66; In addition, we gave through special offerings and designations of one kind or another, to State Missions, $384.21; to Home Missions, $905.85; and to Foreign Missions, $1,651.49. Just a word of correction, however, for these gifts were made by 45 of our churches. 27 of our churches report no gifts through the Co-operative Program; 24 of these same churches gave nothing to State Missions; 25 of these same churches gave nothing to either Home or Foreign Missions. In short, we have 24 churches in the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association who went for twelve whole months and did absolutely nothing for World Missions outside of Ashe County (this by their own statements in their associational letters)!

Sometimes the truth hurts, and it hurts in this case. The writer of this report feels that there is no church in our association that needs to have such a shameful

record and that somewhere we have failed in our leadership. Brethren, either le us be missionary or change our banner.

Respectfully submitted,
R. R. Campbell

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT 1960-61

It is with heartfelt gratitude that we come to make this report to the Association

On behalf of the entire staff of Associational Sunday school officers, let m pledge our adherence to the ideal that our task is one of service. Our only purpos is to help the churches through proper use of their Sunday schools to reach the los for Christ and lead the saved to acknowledge the Lordship of Christ in daily living

Again this year we held quarterly workers meetings in which plans would b made for the coming quarterly associational wide meeting. Associational wid meetings were held each quarter, one in which we observed departmental conferences This meeting was well attended.

The work of Vacation Bible School has been a great task before us again thi year, under the direction of Miss Mary Jordan. We have had 37 churches providin Vacation Bible Schools this year with an enrollment of 1,137 reported.

Another accomplishment, for which we are grateful, is that we had approximatel 20 churches participating in the January Bible Study week. Not all these churche were able to have their study in the month of January, but had the study late in the year, using the text book, STUDIES IN FIRST CORINTHIANS.

I want to thank all Superintendents, Teachers, Church Officers, and Member for support given this great work. Special commendation should go to Rev. Audle Frazier, our Associational Missionary for the faithful work he has rendered to mak these accomplishments possible. At this moment and from now on in the Kingdom' work, may we be in one place, one accord and all in prayer with "The Living Christ."

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Arnold Bell

ANNUAL W. M. U. REPORT

Many of our W. M. U. Members are conscious of the fact that more of ou energies, talents, faith and purpose must be united in one great endeavor to b "Laborers together with God."

We are challenged with the unmet needs and the awaiting opportunities in ou association, our state, our nation and in fields afar. We must be missionary ever day, wherever we are, whatever our place of service.

We doubt if figures show that we have gained in number, but it is evident tha the power of the Holy Spirit is at work among us. Our last annual report showe that we had 19 Women and Young Peoples' Organizations with 269 members. Ninety-seven of these were taking missionary magazines. We had 13 missio study classes taught. One-hundred thirty-nine members read approved missio books. Two hundred-nine members gave regularly through the Cooperative Program Seventy-eight of our members tithe. Eight of the organizations took part in planne community missions. Six organizations observed Weeks of Prayer. We gave t special missions causes a total of $1,608.39 last year.

Our Annual Meeting was held with the Friendship Church. Those in attendanc

were inspired and challenged by the messages brought by Mrs. Allegara La Prairie, a Home Missionary and Miss Kathryn Bullard, our state W. M. U. Director.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Ralph C. Parsons

REPORT ON AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The help of every Southern Baptist Church is needed.

Only 23.5% of American Bible Society support is received from churches. 76.5% is received from other sources.

In 1816 the churches established the American Bible Society and charged it with the task of translating, publishing and distributing the Bible without note or comment and without purpose of profit.

With today's increase in population and the number of unlearned people in the world, the duty of spreading the Word of God has a greater need for the Scriptures in the languages of these people.

If the pressing world needs for more translation and distribution of the Bible are to be met, the churches must increase their share of the support of the American Bible Society.

Has your church given this year?

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Louise Hoosier

REPORT ON RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

1. Resolved that this association extend its sincere thanks and deepest appreciation to the Buffalo Church and community and to the Wagonar Church and community with the assisting churches for the fine hospitality shown to us.

2. Be it resolved that we express our gratitude to the officers, committees speakers, and all others who have helped to make the association a success.

3. Be it resolved that we take of the task set for us by those saints of God who have gone before, who blazed the way in these highlands of ours for the work of God, and may we carry on the work started by those living and dead; dropping all petty differences that tend to divide us, and press on in spirit and love of our Savior to the work they so proudly began.

4. Be it further resolved that we enthusiastically support with our money, time, and prayers the objects for which we stand that all the world may hear of the Savior and his love, that orphan children may have love and care, that the aged be cared for and comforted and that the youth may be taught the truth, and the love of our Lord and Savior.

Respectfully submitted,
Jewell Blevins
A. D. Goodman
J. E. Goodman

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

When we consider the fact that those attending college are increasing at a rate of about 2,000,000 per year we are made to realize that much depends on us. We

must aid in the development and expansion of our Baptist colleges so that we can help to train effective Baptists, Christians, and church members.

In North Carolina, to aid in this ministry, we have seven Baptist colleges - Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, Meredith, Wake Forest, and Wingate. Two-thirds of the students attending these colleges are Baptist young people. Of the Baptist students attending one of our seven colleges, ONE OUT OF EIGHT students is preparing either for the ministry or some other church-related vocation. Here we find our Baptist seed for the kind of Baptist harvest we may expect to reap in the future.

The annual operating budgets of these seven colleges total between eleven and through the cooperative program pay about five per cent of the operating costs. Other sources such as endowment income and auxiliary enterprises provide nearly one-half the operating costs. In addition to the costs for operating several million dollars are being spent for the necessary expansion and improvement. Our Baptist people are providing about $500,000 each year to help with these capital outlay costs.

Now what can you do to help?

1. Be informed and concerned. Read about our colleges, visit them, become acquainted with the administration, faculty, and students.
2. Encourage your best students to attend.
3. Pray for these schools.
4. Support the Cooperative Program especially the Program of Advance.
5. Promote and Support Christian Education in your church.

May we help to develop the mind, body, and soul of our young people through our united support of our North Carolina Baptist Colleges.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs.) Doris S. Woodruff

TRAINING UNION REPORT

Our Associational Training Union Department has held two meetings each quarter during the past year in the interest of training. The officers have also met with the Sunday School officers and others in an effort to improve our entire program.

We have assisted in starting Training Unions at Orion and Big Flats Churches as well as visited other churches that have Training Unions.

During the coming year let us all make an effort to start some new Training Unions and perhaps revive some of the ones that have succumbed.

Respectfully submitted,
D. C. Severt
Associational Training Union
Director

REPORT OF PASTORS CONFERENCE

The Ashe Baptist Ministerial Association met regularly on the fourth Saturday of each month with fairly good attendance.

The purpose of the conference is an effort to strengthen the association by the working together of the pastors and bodies of each organization.

Since the association is made up of the churches and the pastors are the leaders

of the churches, there seems to be a great need for the pastors to have fellowship with each other and work together in this conference.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. John F. Goodman

REPORT OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

(AUGUST 1, 1960 - AUGUST 1, 1961)

Type Of Work Done In The Churches:

Sermons Preached	28
Sunday School Classes Taught	22
Church Study Courses Taught	13
Vacation Bible Schools Conducted	17
Vacation Bible Schools Promoted	9
Devotional (Radio, BTU, SS, Prayer Meetings)	24
Visual Aids Presented	9
Churches Help Organize	1
Baptist Training Unions Help Organize	1
Mission Studies Taught	1

Associational Promotional Efforts:

Sunday School Officers' Training and Planning Meeting, Jefferson	1
W. M. U. Leadership Conference, Jefferson	1
Sunday School Action Night, Bristol	1
Evangelistic Clinic, West Jefferson	1
Ashe "M" Night, West Jefferson	1
Hymn Sings	2
Carol Sing, Warrensville	1
Preachers' School, West Jefferson	5
Music School for Leaders, Jefferson	4
Mission Study Institute, Jefferson	1
Associational Schools of Missions	6
Vacation Bible School Clinic, West Jefferson	1
W. M. U. Annual Meeting, Friendship	1
Youth Night, Healing Springs	1
Brotherhood Meeting, Midway	1

Other Efforts Used To Promote The Work (Both Associations)

Conferences: Individual 573
Group 21
Committee 41

Mail Sent Out: Letters 972
Cards 295
Reports and Other Items 45
Bulletins 2,675
Calendar of Activities 210

Miles Traveled In Promotion Of The Work:

Personal Car	16,661
Other Means	1,450
Total	18,111

Work Done Or Meetings Attended Outside The Association:

	No. Days
Schools of Missions - Anson Association	6
State Brotherhood Convention, Greensboro	1
Associational BTU Officers Planning Meeting, Winston Salem	1
Associational Missionaries' Conference, Asheville	1
Baptist State Convention, Asheville	3
Associational Missionaries' Workshop, Concord	3
State V. B. S. Clinic, Fruitland	3
Hospital Representatives' Meeting, Winston Salem	2
Homes For Aging Representatives Meeting, Winston Salem	1
State Evangelistic Conference, Wake Forest College	2
Region VII BTU Meeting, Boone	1
Special State Baptist Convention, Greensboro	1
Region VII Brotherhood Meeting, Taylorsville	1
Southern Baptist Convention, St. Louis, Mo.	3
Region VII Meeting of Church Leaders, North Wilkesboro	1
Associational Missionaries Conference, Southport	4

Respectfully submitted,
Audley B. Frazier

REPORT ON NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital continues to try to serve our people in the fullest measure possible. Last year it provided its largest number of days of hospital care and saw the largest number of patients in the Clinics - 78,000 visits to the Out-Patient Clinics, from 96 of the 100 counties in the State, and 75,000 Private Clinic visits.

SOME OF THE NEWER SERVICES

The New Progressive Care Unit was opened in March, providing 80 beds for patients who do not require the more expensive and intensive care of the regular hospital. This is a new and advanced step in hospitalization and patients are highly pleased with it. The Hospital's one regret is that at the present time it does not have money necessary to open it to Service Patients.

A new type of unit for the sterilization of surgical and other equipment by gas was recently installed. This is more effective than the older methods used in the fight against infection, which is a constant problem in all hospitals. In the X-Ray Department a rapid film developer is now in use which greatly speeds the preparation of x-ray films.

One of the most recent additions is a Pastors' Library given by Mrs. Walter M. Williams of Burlington in memory of her noble Christian husband. All pastors and others are invited to ask about this excellent collection of religious books and to use when they visit the Hospital.

Living in a world that is filled with sickness and suffering can we as Christians turn a deaf ear to the call of Christ when He said, "Heal the sick?"

Through cooperation in our Mothers' day Offering in our church we can each have a part in the ministry of healing. Are we willing to share the material things that God has blessed us with that the less fortunate people might be made whole?

There are probably more sick people in the world today than ever before. Unless

we care enough to do something about it many of these people will never have adequate medical or hospital care.

Only 8 churches in the association failed to take a Mothers' Day Offering this year. I hope your church was not one of this group. Christ only expects us to give as we have prospered.

Again, may I say "thank you" to each one that has had a part in this great work.

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. Gentry, Hospital Representative

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

(Suggested Associational Report for 1961)

How thrilling it is to minister to the aging in our midst! North Carolina Baptists can be justly grateful for their Christian ministry to 125 residents in their three Homes -- Resthaven and the Hayes Home in Winston-Salem, and the Albemarle Home in Albemarle.

With 130 people waiting for admission at the present time, lack of rooms is one of our most acute problems. North Carolina Baptists, however, are definitely doing something about this situation. The Hamilton Home, now under construction in Martin County, is proof-positive. This our fourth Home, will provide for 30 additional residents. It is hoped that the Hamilton Home will be ready for occupancy no later than the first of January, 1962. A debt of $275,000.00 has been assumed on this Home, and for the purpose of completing the liquidation of the indebtedness on the new infirmary at Winston-Salem. There is no further expansion of desperately needed additional facilities anticipated until the major portion of this debt is paid. Special Day Offerings and gifts from the churches should, therefore, be increased greatly in order that we may go on in the great task which is ours, and that we might meet the ever-increasing demands of the aging among us as quickly as possible.

We are now in the eleventh year of operation, and the past year has been a great one and a good one. TWENTY-SIX new residents have been received and are now finding happiness and peace, love and security, in their new home.

The Special Day Offerings and special gifts are running 17% ahead of last year's contributions, and we are profoundly grateful to each church and to each individual for the liberal support to the wonderful cause which we represent.

The appointment of Mr. C. O. Weaver of Greensboro, N.C., as Business Administrator of the Homes has proven to be one of the greatest blessings of the past year. This dedicated layman is serving with unusual ability and insight and is making a splendid contribution to the work.

The average age of our residents is around 80, and we rejoice in the fact that life-span is increasing for them. We are exceedingly grateful that one of them, Aunt Fannie Drumwright, reached her 100 birthday on July 6. She is the first resident in our North Carolina Baptist Homes to attain this remarkable milestone. She is the living example of the years that are actually being added to a person's life by the lovingkindness of North Carolina Baptists through the tender care of our Homes.

One of the most wonderful gifts ever made to the Homes is now coming to fruition. It is the handsome duplex apartment, made possible through the generosity of Miss Roxie Sides of Winston-Salem. This new facility, now under construction on

the Reynolds Park Road site in Winston-Salem, will be occupied in the fall, we hope, and will open an avenue for four additional residents.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. F. L. Waddell,
Homes for Aging Representative

REPORT OF BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES

The Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is a Christian Agency providing love and care for more than 800 deserving boys and girls annually. These are dependent and neglected children who, for some reason, have found it necessary to live away from their homes.

Your Child Care Ministry is a child centered, Christ centered, and Church centered ministry. It is based on the redemptive plan of God. These children have lost their parents through a number of ways. Workers use all the skill available, plus the help of God, to establish in these children trust in adults, trust in self and trust in God.

We have boys and girls living at our three homes: Mills Home, Kennedy Home and Odum Home. One hundred twenty-five children live in Christian Foster Homes throughout the State. Some mothers who have lost husbands and fathers receive financial grants in the homes which enables them to keep and care for their own children. Well trained case workers are spending an increasing amount of time working with and strengthening families.

During the past year it became necessary for us to reduce the number of Foster Home Care. At one time we were caring for children in 162 Foster Homes, now we have 127. This trend can be changed only when we have additional income. Many types of services to children in need are being delayed for lack of money.

The Financial Support for our Baptist Children's Homes came from the following sources this past year.

Thanksgiving Offering -- 33%
Cooperative Program -- 32%
Once a month Offering -- 18%
Special Gifts -- 17%

As you can see one third of the support comes from the Thanksgiving Offering. The Thanksgiving Offering goal for 1961 is $400,000. Will you help this to become a reality? We are being asked to increase our offering one third above what we gave last year. May we meet this need and give cheerfully what God expects of us.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Lee Waddell

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

There never has been a time when the Gospel of Jesus Christ was not urgent but many Christian's have been slow to sense it. If the trying times in which we are living now can only shock us out of our sleep and complacency, then I believe that every Christian would be alerted to the urgency of evangelism.

We are blessed today as few people have in all Christian History. Because of this we as Christian's should share with those who are non-Christian.

Evangelism is the heart of the Church. Where there is no heart there is no life. Solomon said, "Keep thy heart with all diligence for out of it are the issues of

ife." (Proverbs 4:23) Our Baptist Churches need to stay at the task of the church, he main task, that of reaching lost souls.

WE RECOMMEND

1. That 1962 be a year of extensive evangelistic efforts in our churches.
2. That our churches make adequate preparation for evangelism by working this fall for a sizeable gain in our Sunday School Enlargement Campaign.
3. That our churches use the Church Council in Evangelism to emphasize the use of every organization in the church in winning the lost.
4. That we have an Associational Conference on Evangelism. (Nov. 17, 1961)
5. That we accept a worthy goal of baptisms for 1962 in our Association.
6. That we go after unenlisted Baptists.
7. That we have an intensive soul-winning training program in 1962.
8. That the salvation of the lost be the concern and compassion of every heart in 1962.

Respectfully submitted,
W. T. Brackett
Superintendent of Evangelism

MUSIC COMMITTEE REPORT

Our associational music program continues to progress. The Associational Hymn Sings are enjoyed by all who attend. This year we were fortunate to have Mr. Joseph Stroud, Secretary of the Church Music Department of our Baptist State Convention, to teach a training course for our choir directors.

Music is the inspirational background for all our church services. Let's work ogether to promote better music in all our churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Cecil Shoaf

REPORT OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE

A year ago we reported having a building site and some material which had been bought. At that time we were ready to begin a building to house whoever serves us as our associational missionary.

Therefore, by special gifts of money, labor and material we started construction n the early spring. On the last day of May our Missionary, Rev. Audley B. Frazier nd family moved into our new brick building.

Now to bring you up to date, we owe the Ashe Building and Loan, Association en thousand dollars to be paid one hundred dollars per month, which is only double hat we were already allowed for rent.

Therefore the Executive Board has sent out requests, asking all our churches o raise their offering to the Association and to contribute monthly to take care f this and other associational expenses.

Respectfully submitted,
D. C. Severt, Chm.
G. C. Burkett, Treas.
Paul Hopkins
Lloyd Witherspoon
Sanford Howell

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

This year we have laid a foundation for our Brotherhood work in the Association. We have had one associational meeting of Ashe Baptist Men at the Midway Baptist Church. Rev. Clyde Davis, Brotherhood Secretary of our Baptist State Convention, was the speaker and gave us information on Brotherhood work. A committee was appointed to select our Brotherhood officers for the coming year.

The Executive Committee authorized the scheduling of quarterly meetings of our Baptist Men for 1962 - meetings to be held on Thursday Night following the second Sunday in each quarter.

May we consider the work being done by the Christian men and the work being done by the Christian women of the Association, and see how it balances out.

The Brotherhood is not new but has been in operation for years throughout the Southern Baptist Convention. It is not intended to add anything new to our Church Program. It is designed for the purpose of trying to enlist the total manpower, further the program and advance the work of the churches.

We now have two active Church Brotherhoods in our Association out of sixty-one churches. It is hoped that more of our men may have an opportunity to be enrolled into active membership in a Church Brotherhood.

Shall we go to our churches and prayerfully and sincerely discuss the possibilities of organizing a Brotherhood? May, we seek to know the good which could be accomplished in the organization of men? May, we seek God's will so that His Kingdom may be expanded and His Name glorified?

Please feel free to call on me or the associational missionary if we can be of assistance.

Respectfully submitted,
Guy T. Shatley

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

Have you ever stopped to think that God chose to use "writing" as His means of self-revelation to the world? Where would the world be today were it not for the divinely-written revelation, the Bible? Since God Himself saw fit to use literature to reveal His will, we, as Christian, also should have a plan to follow. In 1961, this principle still holds true as we think of all the fine Christian literature being written.

Just how much do we know about this plan--a plan to explore and learn about our Baptist work at home and abroad? The BIBLICAL RECORDER, one of the top Baptist periodicals, has a circulation of 78,000 copies per year. Syracuse University professors gave the RECORDER high recognition as an informative Baptist magazine. You can receive this excellent reading matter for only $2 per year.

Also, CHARITY AND CHILDREN, which gives you information concerning the Baptist homes, colleges, and your fellow Baptists, can be brought to your home for only $1 per year; 60 cents per year if taken through your church in bundle form.

In addition, we have two magazines, THE COMMISSION and HOME MISSIONS, which brief us on our home and foreign mission work. Why not learn something about this challenging work?

Too, there is a very fine family magazine, HOME LIFE, that provides excellent reading material for all members of the family.

Become a well-informed Baptist--read our Baptist literature!

Respectfully submitted,
Miss Pauline Phipps

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, the finance Committee of the Ashe Missonary Baptist Association, wish to ubmit the following suggested budget for the coming year, 1961 and 1962.

ssociational Missionary:	
Salary	$1,375.00
Car Expenses	396.00
Retirement	172.00
Convention	86.00
Office Expenses	86.00
ssociational Expenses:	
House payment	1,200.00
Fire Insurance	50.00
Training Union Expenses	25.00
Sunday School Expenses	25.00
Bible School Expenses	50.00
Clerk's fee	50.00
Postage & Supplies	50.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Total Budget:	$3,760.00

The above amount will be needed for our Mission work for the coming year. The ast one has been very successful and the work has gone forward in many ways, for is and your continued support we are very grateful. Trusting this work will have our prayers, and your good will, as well as the much needed financial support.

Your Finance Committee,
R. C. Ashley, Chairman
G. C. Burkett, Chairman of Executive Committee.

TREASURER'S REPORT

alance In Treasury 1960	$15.60
eceived Minute Fund	389.65
orrowed 1961 Minute Fund	50.00
eceived From Churches Missions	2,598.50
Total	$3,053.75
Minutes	452.65
Bible School Expenses	30.00
Associational Expenses	37.24
Ashe Share Missions	2,525.00
Balance In Treasury	8.86
Total	$3,053.75

ASHE-ALLEGHANY

alance In Treasury	3.93
eceived State Convention	1,800.00
eceived Alleghany Association	1,008.00
eceived Ashe Association	2,525.00
Total	$5,336.93

Missionary Salary	3,200.00
Travel Expenses	900.00
Rent	427.50
Annuity	400.08
Convention Expenses	200.00
Office Supplies & Postage	203.71
Balance In Treasury	5.64
Total	$5,336.93

In Memoriam

BALD MOUNTAIN: Glen Stikes
BEAVER CREEK: W. F. Goodman, Mrs. Mary Lou Faw
BLUE RIDGE: D. C. Miller
BIG FLATS: Roy Trivette, Eugene Eldreth
BETHEL: Mrs. Rena Phillips, Mrs. Rosa Johnston, Mrs. Ella Mae Vannoy
CLIFTON: Mrs. Carrie Bell Dougherty, Mrs. Marie Jones, Moses Gilley, L. C. Treadway, Ross Richardson
FRIENDLY GROVE: Mrs. Lizzie Swift Elliott, Kay Hardin, Grady S. Fletcher
FRIENDSHIP: Mrs. Lou Little, Mrs. Charity Kearley
FRANKLIN: Mrs. Ruth Hall
GLENDALE: Mrs. Mary Miller
HEALING SPRINGS: Mrs. Mertie Owen, Mrs. Gibbie Ann Shepherd, Jim Hudler
LANDMARK: Mrs. Tisha Jones, Walter Hurley
LIBERTY GROVE: A. C. Miller
LITTLE HELTON: Rev. E. A. Eller, Mrs. Lou Pennington
MIDWAY: Earl Ball, Quincy Dixon (Deacons)
MOUNTAIN VIEW: Mrs. Eddie Moore, Mrs. Ellen Wyatt
NEW RIVER: George F. Sawyers, Jim Sawyers, Miss Nannie Scott, Roscoe Brown, Mrs. Birdie Petty, John Caldwell
OBIDS: J. C. Miller
PEAK VALLEY: Mrs. Queen Elliott
PILOT MOUNTAIN: Mrs. Jennie Miller
PINE SWAMP: Mrs. Julia Hartzog
PHOENIX: W. T. Shumate, J. C. Baldwin
STURGILLS: Mrs. Hazel Wyatt
SMETHPORT: Mrs. Walter Taylor
TUCKERDALE: Mrs. Sinia Darnell, Marvin Johnson, Earl Miller
THREE FORK: Charlie Lewis
WARRENSVILLE: J. Ance Johnson, Ed Ashley
WEST JEFFERSON: Mrs. A. M. Jones

SYNOPSIS OF REMARKS OF IRA T. JOHNSON ON HISTORY OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

A knowledge of history is valuable (a) to keep in remembrance the work and ervices of those who blazed the trail in past years;
) to endeavor to avoid the mistakes of the past and (c) to gain inspiration from ne progress and accomplishments which have been made through the years.

Former Associations to which Churches in Ashe County belonged are (a) Yadkin ssociation to 1799; (b) Mountain Association and Three Forks Association 1799 to 853; (c) Senter Association 1799 to 1853; and (d) New River Association 1870 o 1886.

The Ashe and Alleghany Association was organized at Buffalo Baptist Church in 886. In 1898, six or seven churches in Alleghany County withdrew and formed the lleghany Association.

At one time and in the early days our people were known simply as "Baptists". ome of the things that have brought division and the modifying titles of different roups of Baptists were (a) a trained Ministry; (b) Missions; (c) Secret Societies nd other organizations; (d) footwashing; (e) alien immersions; (f) Sunday Schools nd Sunday School Literature; and (g) pastors salaries. The largest cleavage was rought about by the Civil War when those who sympathized with the North separated nemselves from their brethren and became known as Union Baptists.

The leaders of the movement leading to the organization of more progressive aptist Churches and finally to the organization of the Ashe and Alleghany Associaion as a Missionary Baptist organization were Reverend Aaron Johnson, Rev. Richard entry, Rev. Richard Jacks, Rev. Solomon Trivette, and two prominent laymen were ames Eller and Captain W. H. Gentry.

Ministers and laymen active in the organization of the Ashe and Alleghany ssociation in 1886, among others, were Rev. T. M. Honeycutt, Rev. T. M. Duncan, ev. J. F. Fletcher, Rev. William Hall, Rev. George W. Greene, Rev. Ira W. Thomas, ames Eller, H. A. Eller and E. L. Tucker.

Among the active pastors who served and sacrificed in the early days of the ssociation were Rev. J. F. Fletcher, Rev. Solomon Blackburn, Rev. Elihu Tucker, ev. Ezekiel Blevins, Rev. Franklin Barker, and Rev. P. H. Haire.

Leaders of a revival of interest and participants in an Evangelical movement n the period of 1912-1920 were Rev. W. R. Bradshaw, a visiting Evangelist from ickory, Revs. George M. Reeves, C. M. Cope and S. C. Blackburn.

The following Brethren have served as Moderators:
ames Eller, Elihu Tucker, J. C. Goodman, S. C. Blackburn, W. E. Denny, and eorge West.

he following Brethren have served as Clerks:

. L. Porter, H. A. Eller, J. E. Fletcher, M. M. Blevins, F. R. Jones, J. W. Duncan, V.C. Johnston, J.G.Welch, Bryan Oliver, W.A.Campbell, F.L.Barker, C.L.Blevins, D.C.Severt, McDaniel Harless.

Date	No. Churches	No. Male Members	No. Female Members	No. Members	Pastors Salary	State Missions	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Associational Missions	For Education	Poor	Orphanage	Hospital	Total Benevolence	Minute Fund	Building & Repair	Total Local Expense
1886	9			478										3	13		1
1887																	
1888																	
1889																	
1890																	
1891	21	417	536	953	168	66	1	7		18		5		97	23	61	25
1892	25	405	610	1015	284	55	2	18				7		82	29	17	33
1893																	
1894	27	427	626	1060	242	49	1	1				4		55	24	10	27
1895	29	444	737	1181	273	3	1	9				6		18	23		29
1896	31	514	731	1245	280	3	6	5				4		17	23		30
1897	33	589	831	1412	349	58	4	7				10		78	24		37
1898	28	507	727	1234	278	29	4	1						34	20	27	32
1900	31	515	784	1299	449	5	3	8	44		24	6		90	21	281	75
1901	30	477	889	1376	524	11	2	16	15			7		51	19	327	88
1902	27	603	930	1635	439	25	9	11	57	24		11		136	23		46
1903	27	553	787	1340	468	29	11	12	1	3		17		74	23	452	94
1904	27	611	955	1566	254	16	7	13			30	12		77	22		26
1905	27	527	818	1465	361	19	3	9	101		13	21		166	22		38
1906	27	528	945	1527	360	55	2	18	3			53		131	25	688	107
1907	27	626	998	1624	553	33	5	12	106		20	43		218	27	161	73
1908	30	639	1030	1669	396	7	1	9	117		14	39		188	24	125	62
1909	31	655	1059	1714	446	54	5	5	63		13	59		200	25	842	140
1910	32	712	1119	1831	485	32	5	16	21		12	51		137	27	511	110
1911	32	733	1179	1952	637	30	9	17	79		11	52		199	31	769	159
1912	30	812	1242	2054	633	335	13	14	71	20	8	74		535	33	1773	267
1913	31	784	1251	2035	791	247	24	20	46	78	71	62		608	34	1330	201
1914	30	937	1475	2412	1066	314	22	64	13		65	69		548	33	80	133
1915	31	796	1280	2076	944	329	50	59			88	85		610	47	452	160
1916	34	847	1337	2184	991	153	48	44	13	3	14	139		414	55	2717	397
1917	34	864	1348	2212	1233	96	58	53		179	40	195		620	54	534	204
1918	34	825	1256	2081	1171	114	61	47			159	357		738	62	115	297
1919	34	815	1284	2099	1468	100	68	106	75M	12	206	409		901	61	2505	434
1920	35	885	1399	2284	2418	1	1		203	12	269	402		889	74	582	550
1921	36	891	1316	2207	2959	27	88	15	1487	8	449	270		2344	70	419	756
1922	36			2356	2539	484	25	17	723	15	172	268		1704	71	749	524
1923	37			2402	2269		10	15	865		360	529		1778	75	1405	357
1924	38			2360	3574	10	15	16	75M 646		172	432	65	1356	71	1655	526
1925	37			2426	3478	411	21		490	20	240	493	113	1550	77	181	478
1926	37			2997	3196	928	12	4			220	26	32	1350	66	347	550
1927	42			2915	3122			4	15	853	25	97	423	12	1331	82	695	565
1928	42			3211	3102	68				551	151	211	581	63	1464	79	2218	647
1929	41			3131	3453		1			537		190			1383	94	3086	787
1930	41			3245	3245	27	4	2		404	82	144	27	40	870	89	1392	633
1931	43			3381	3347	15	5			317	55	159	343	73	854	70	1678	677
1932	43			3556	2163	20				167			497	25	573	76	273	447
1933	41			3315	1619					131	29		129	68	364	63	305	328
1934	42			3399	2221					435		140	188		762	60	1554	499
1935	42			3488	2666					200		119	464	203	1004	74	296	447
1936	43			3346	3090	7		5		202		111	564	526	1388	70	732	495
1937	43			3274	3298	10		48		269		120	597	316	1254	83	1665	686
1938	43			3572	3896	5	15	47	2050	287		195	841	396	1633	83	923	716
1939	46			4002	4486	45	6	18		292		261	481	397	1128	80	3911	1086
1940	46			4179	4167	15	41	21		314		147	456	345	1263	83	1577	810
1941	49			4174	4860	52	13	13		280	13	246	737	357	1517	101	1633	919
1942	51			4214	5780	25	43	83	125	362	34	266	1452	424	2566	119	2902	1200
1943	53			4449	6976	38	60	72		487	31	306	452	761	2861	136	855	1171
1944	53			4518	7646	20	61	91	141	701		340	1399	661	4376	154	4134	1596
1945	53			4777	9376	131	114	68	261	1024		731	1938	5389	5389	184	1332	1096
1946	54			4915	10805	161	230	157	546	1178	2	811	2156	975	6000	192	7017	2737
1947	55			5014	12263	185	220	221	688	979	1	712	2289	721	5605	188	4322	2759
1948	56			5667	13297	229	177	232	776	794		993	1965	919	5293	243	12848	4237
1949	57			5654	15113	259	229	150	859	1298	11	735	1735	735	5505	223	14285	4470
1950	58			5853	15890	338	334	330	1342	1279	71		1619	1469	6885		12645	4270
1951	58			4802	19912	419	329	350	1994	1458	122		1868	1783	7482	282	6148	3514
1952	59			6092	16797	322	338	528	2638	1838	609	*	2131	1288	10500	258		5020
1953	61			5538	20369	362	302	567	2300	1788	547	364	2088	1260	9368	233		9090
1954	62			5996	22216	477	406	561	1425	2344		357	2455	1105	8806	260	24469	7353
1955	62			6114	22555	314	430	589	1563	2274	389	1563	2204	1413	8384	266	32090	8940
1956	62			6311	26836	220	531	882	1621	2259	96	1485	2291	1563	10704	322	32163	9256
1957	62			6126	28393	467	582	789	2013	2847	112	2155	2654	1682	12828	332	27254	8609
1958	63			6232	35535	364	409	886	2037	3489		1765	2606	1901	13809	475	22334	8827
1959	59			5872	48136	540	686	1370	2224	4417	136	1324	2457	1926	15017	475		6249
1960	59			6217	32729	540	564	1417	2272	4565	76		2285	2194	14667			8714
TOTALS					431906	9831	7060	10251		41243	2983	18670	48832	26491	200830	6867	235583	11596

Total 7500000 (392425)

Grand Total 4516695

*Associational Missions
Total 75000000 Campaign
Grand total 75000000 Campaign
and Cooparative Program

Average S. S. Att.	No. B. T. U.'S	No. Members	No. W. M. U.'S	No. Members	No. Brother-hoods	No. Members	No. V. B. S.'S	Enrollment	Association held at	Moderator	Clerk	
									Buffalo	T. M. Honeycutt	H. A. Eller	
469									Sparta	W. C. Fields	H. A. Eller	
									Bethel	W. C. Fields	H. A. Eller	
293									Healing Springs	W. C. Fields	H. A. Eller	
									Liberty Alleghany	J. H. Doughton	R. L. Shoaf	
									Brashy Fork	J. H. Doughton	H. A. Eller	
									Forest Home	J. H. Doughton	H. A. Eller	
									Friendship	James Eller	G. L. Porter	
206									Buffalo	James Eller	G. L. Porter	Ashe only
332									Mountain View	Elihu Tucker	H. A. Eller	
									Bristol	Elihu Tucker	H. A. Eller	
									Corinth Rugby Va.	Elihu Tucker	J. F. Fletcher	
									Baptist Home	Elihu Tucker	J. F. Fletcher	
287									Old Fields	Elihu Tucker	J. F. Fletcher	
67									Big Laurel		M. M. Blevins	
367										Elihu Tucker	M. M. Blevins	
739									Beaver Creek	Elihu Tucker	M. M. Blevins	7 Mo. S. S. Max.
535									Mission Home	J. C. Goodman	M. M. Blevins	" " " "
659									Landmark	J. C. Goodman	M. M. Blevins	1911
841									Healing Springs	J. C. Goodman	M. M. Blevins	1 S. S. Open all year.
858									Peak Valley	J. C. Goodman	M. M. Blevins	2 S. S. Open all year.
1052									Obids	J. C. Goodman	M. M. Blevins	
									Clifton	J. C. Goodman	F. R. Jones	
									Friendship	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	9 S. S. Open all year, 1915
									New River	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
									Jefferson	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
									Bald Mt.	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
									Big Flats	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
			3	27					Pleasant Home	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
			5	81					Phoenix	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
	2	56	6	164					Bethol	J. C. Goodman	J. W. Duncan	
			6	99					Healing Springs	J. C. Goodman	W. C. Johnston	
2	56		5	61					Tuckardale	J. C. Goodman	W. C. Johnston	
	3	104	5	80					West Jefferson	J. C. Goodman	J. R. Welch	
1086	2	82	8	113					Orion	J. C. Goodman	J. R. Welch	
1351	3	104	5	81					Buffalo	J. C. Goodman	Bryan Olliver	
1198	3	104	2	27					Landmark	J. C. Goodman	Bryan Olliver	
1068	6	136	4	50					Grassy Creek	J. C. Goodman	Bryan Olliver	
1317									West Jefferson	S. C. Blackhorn	Bryan Olliver	
1251	3	116	3	92					Liberty Grove	W. E. Denny	Bryan Olliver	
1729	5	125	5	112					Warrensville	W. E. Denny	Bryan Olliver	
1302	4	85	5	98					Old Fields	W. E. Denny	Bryan Olliver	
1513	4	120	5	149			2	180	Beaver Creek	J. C. Goodman	W. A. Campell	W. J. & Long Branch
1331	1	45	3	95					Healing Springs	J. C. Goodman	W. A. Campell	V. B. S.
1513	1	38	6	45					Fleetwood	J. C. Goodman	W. A. Campell	
1886	5	73	6	150					Welcome Home	J. C. Goodman	W. A. Campell	
1347	11	292	7	145					New River	J. C. Goodman	W. A. Campell	
1645	9	147	7	129			16	868	Friendship	J. C. Goodman	F. L. Barker	Place in min. for VBS
1740	5	124	6	129			22	955	West Jefferson	J. C. Goodman	F. L. Barker	
1640	4	100	6	155			23	1122	Phoenix	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1433	4	93	7	90			14	685	Apple Grove	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1775	5	128	6	106			16	776	Bald Mt.	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1578	4	97	8	77			1	22	Valley Home	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1791	8	190	7	145			16	740	Little Helton	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1870	11	561	7	118			18	796	Sabbath Home	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1908	15	863	6	205			27	1123	Clifton	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
2558	21	1050	7	223			42	1467	Grassy Creek	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
2347	19	945	7	245			31	1237	Tuckerdale	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	Local, 1210 14 Mission
2107	18	849	6	246			48	1469	Healing Springs	J. C. Goodman	C. L. Blevins	
1948	14	890	6	210	1	19	15	576	Old Fields	J. C. Goodman	D. C. Severt	
2324	14	625	7	272	1	15	56	2324	Long Branch	W. E. Denny	D. C. Severt	
2403	17	634	10	411	1	14	47	1916	Glendale Springs	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2615	18	711	11	395	1	20	46	2033	West Jefferson	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2507	16	746	12	349	3	40	36	1640	Orion	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2790	17	852	12	323	2	36	40	1449	New River	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2876	15	765	11	338	4	39	40	1941	Clifton & Warrensville	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2912	16	791	13	146	5	181	38	1861	Friendship & Jefferson	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2301	13	589	11	378	4	92	35	1532	Peak Valley & Pleasant Home	W. E. Denny	McDaniel Harless	
2124	12	578	11	385	3	64	27	1329	Laurel Knob & Bold Mt.	George West	McDaniel Harless	

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Clerk Address

Moderator Address

	CHURCHES	Location R-T-V-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS 4 Baptisms	GAINS 5 Letters And Other Additions	LOSSES 6 Loss by Death Transfer, etc.	TOTAL 7 Total Resident Members	TOTAL 8 Total Non-Resident Members	TOTAL 9 Grand Total Present Membership	10 Revival Meetings Held	SPECIAL INFORMATION 11 Number Tithers	12A Church Have Budget?	12B Every Member Canvass?	13 State Paper in Budget?	14 Started this year No. Missions	15 No. Local Missions Operated by Church	16 Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor for full year or not)
		1	2	3															
1	Apple Grove	R	1889	1	Finley Miller, West Jefferson	2	3		36	13	49	2		No	No	No			154.00
2	Bald Mountain	R		1-3	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.		1	1	73	83	156	1		Yes	No	No			495.00
3	Baptist Home	R	1890	2-4	Albert Hill, 12 Exum St., Johnson City, Tenn.			4	19	51	70	2	2	No	No	No			108.00
4	Beaver Creek	R	1890	2-4	Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson	5	5	2	68	24	92	2	7	No	No	No			281.00
5	Bethel	R	1857	4	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	10		4	80	34	114	2		No	No	No			270.00
6	Big Flats	R	1905	1-3	W. T. Whittington, Jefferson, N. C.	9	1	7	60	65	125	2	3	No	No	No			482.00
7	Big Laurel	R	1880	1	Keene Roark, Creston, N. C.		1		12	18	30	1	3	No	No	No			205.00
8	Blue Ridge	R	1887	2	Gilbert Osborne, North Wilkesboro	1		2	36	45	81	1		No	No	No			229.00
9	Bristol	R	1888	2-4	Billy Joe Dixon, Marion, Va.	10	4	1	111	72	183	2	3	Yes	No	No			637.00
10	Buffalo	R	1869	2-4	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	3	2	3	95	17	112	1	4	No	No	No			633.00
11	Chestnut Hill	R	1928	2	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	2	4	2	18	63	81			No	No	No			340.00
12	Clifton	R	1891	2	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	1	1	7	56	61	117	1							190.00
13	Fairview	R	1940	2	Bill Rose, West Jefferson, N. C.				8	29	37								
14	Farmer Memorial	R	1943	1	Ralph Winters, Grayson, N. C.	2	2		40	15	55	1							125.00
15	Franklin	R	1932	1-2-3-4	Walter G. Powers, Darlington, Md.	13	5	7	126	42	168	2		No	No	No			556.00
16	Friendly Grove	R	1945	1-2-3-4	W. T. Brackett, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N.C.	7		4	128	48	176	1	18	Yes	No	Yes			1800.00
17	Friendship	R	1880	1-2-3-4	G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.	8	1	5	172	30	202	2		Yes	No	No			1340.00
18	Glendale	R	1914	1-2-3-4	Garland Hutton, Marion, Va.	2	1	1	56	55	111	2	4	Yes	No	No			266.00
19	Grassy Creek	R		1-2-3-4	Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.			7	91	60	151	2	12	Yes	No	No			849.00
20	Healing Springs	R	1888	1-2-3-4	Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.	2	1	4	151	97	248	1		Yes	No	No			1440.00
21	Jefferson	V	1953	All	W. T. Whittington, Jefferson, N. C.	4	6		67	3	70	1	15	Yes	Yes				2240.00
22	Landmark	R	1856	1-3	B. L. Hash, Marion, Va.	18	3	6	70	159	238	1		No	No	No			267.00
23	Laurel Hill	R	1948	1	John Davis, Grassy Creek	13	1		42	7	49	1							112.00
24	Laurel Knob	R		1-2-3-4	G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.			1	68	86	154	1		Yes	No	No			960.00
25	Liberty Grove	R	1915	2-4	John Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.			2	51	14	65	1		Yes	No	No			345.00
26	Liberty Hill	R	1907	1	Bill Rose, West Jefferson, N. C.				12	15	27								150.00
27	Little Helton	R	1923	2	Douglas Parsons, Todd, N. C.	5	2	3	84	40	124	1	1						144.00
28	Long Branch	R	1889	2	Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.			1	51	65	106	1		No	No	No			248.00
29	Midway	R	1953	4	W. E. Burchett, West Jefferson	9	2	15	97	19	116	1		Yes	No	No			1592.00
30	Mission Home	R	1892	1-2-3-4	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.			7	67	53	120	2	18	Yes	No	No			1315.00

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP (CONTINUED)

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

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Clerk Address

Moderator Address

	CHURCHES	Location R-T-V-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS 4 Baptisms	GAINS 5 Letters And Other Additions	LOSSES 6 Loss by Death Transfer, etc.	TOTAL 7 Total Resident Members	TOTAL 8 Total Non-Resident Members	TOTAL 9 Grand Total Present Membership	SPECIAL INFORMATION 10 Revival Meetings Held	11 Number Tithers	12A Church Have Budget?	12B Every Member Canvass?	13 State Paper in Budget?	14 No. Missions Started this year	15 No. Local Missions Operated by Church	16 Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor for full year or not)
		1	2	3															
31	Mt. Olive	R	1941	1-3	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.		3	3	55	26	81			No	No	No			180.00
32	Mountain View				Ralph Winters, Grayson, N. C.			6	46	24	70	1		No	No	No			100.00
33	New River	R	1885	3	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	8	1	16	139	75	214	2	3	No	No	No			459.00
34	North Beaver	R	1943	1-3	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson, N. C.	3	6	6	41	36	77	1		No	No	No			237.00
35	Oak Hill	R	1927	2	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	2	1		71	11	82	2		No	No	No			325.00
36	Obids	R	1892	1-2-3-4	John F. Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.		2	2	44	54	98	2		No	No	No			360.00
37	Old Fields	R		All	Arnold Bell, Deep Gap, N. C.	4		4	105	35	140	1	12	Yes	No	No			2976.00
38	Orion	R	1909	1-2-3-4	Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.	4		3	110	25	135	1		Yes	No	No			507.00
39	Peak Valley	R		2	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.			1	11	23	34			Yes					240.00
40	Phoenix	R	1908	2-4	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.	5	1	2	48	86	134	1	6	No	No	No			621.00
41	Pilot Mountain	R	1806	1-3	Benjamin D. Greene, Sugar Grove, N. C.	4	3	2	66	58	124	2	10	No	No	No			954.00
42	Pine Mountain																		
43	Pine Swamp	R	1948	1-3	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.			2	30	3	33	1		No	No	No			254.00
44	Pleasant Branch	R	1931	3	Lee Waddell, Grassy Creek	6	12		28		28	1		No	No	No			
45	Pleasant Chapel	R	1941	1	Keene Roark, Creston, N. C.	4	1		80	10	90	1							
46	Pleasant Home	R	1870	2-4	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	3	1	3	70	38	108	1		No	No	No			300.00
47	Pleasant Valley	R		1-3	Walter Day, West Jefferson, N. C.	2			67	29	96	2		No	No	No			265.00
48	Prosperity																		
49	Rock Creek	R		1	Finley Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.	4	4		25	24	49	1		No	No	No			115.00
50	Round Knob	R	1940	4	E. Z. Sexton, Jefferson				49	15	64	1		No	No	No			100.00
51	Sabbath Home	R	1931	2	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek			1	61	27	88	1		No	No	No			250.00
52	Smethport	R	1923	3	Walter Day, West Jefferson, N. C.	6						2	3						
53	Sturgills	R	1933		Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	8		5	38	51	89	1		No	No	No			164.00
54	Three Forks	R	1835	2-4	Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.	5	5	2	42	48	90	1		No	No	No			314.00
55	Tuckerdale	R	1915	2-4	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.	2	3	6	88	60	148	1		No	No	No			412.00
56	Valley Home	R	1916	2	Noah Johnson, Todd, N. C.	4	1		45	20	65	2		No	No	No			272.00
57	Wagoner	R		1-2-3-4	A. E. Sells, Jefferson, N. C.														530.00
58	Warrensville	R	1929	All	W. P. Shifflett, Warrensville, N. C.	18	3	4	90	35	125	1	17	Yes	No	No			2600.00
59	Welcome Home	R	1935	1	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.	9			75	8	92	1		No	No	No			500.00
60	West Jefferson	T	1915	All	R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.	2	5	6	399	145	544	1	75	Yes	No	Yes			4200.00
61	Calvary	V	1960	2-4	Finley Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.		10		20		20	1	2	Yes	No	No			120.00
					Totals	229	108	170	3988	2349	6337		218						35128.00

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Sup't.

Address

	CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUP'TS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																			
			39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59
			Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People Single	Young People Married	Young People Away	Adults (25 - 34)	Adults (35 & up)	Extension Dep't.	General Officers	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Church V. B. S. Enrolment	Mission V. B. S. Enrolment	Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	January Bible Study	Preparation Week
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Rt. 1, Husk			15		9					6	4				34	26	16		16	No	No
2	Bald Mountain	Dwight Houck, West Jefferson, N. C.			12	15	18	15					40				100	55	50		50	No	No
3	Baptist Home	Robert N. Lewis, Creston, N. C.			4	4	5	6	3	2		6			5		35	28	35		35	No	No
4	Beaver Creek	Lawerence Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd, N.C.		7	10	7	11	5	11	2		9	15		2		79	50	34		34	No	No
5	Bethel	L. A. Pharr, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.			7	10	12	12	13			22					76	52				No	No
6	Big Flats	H. V. Walker, Rt. 2, Rt. 2 West Jefferson, N. C.		8		5	10	14	8		4	24			3		76	38	31		31	No	No
7	Big Laurel	Mattie Rupard, Grayson, N. C.																	25		25	No	No
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.					4	8				7	10				29	25				No	No
9	Bristol	John C. Roland, Jefferson, N. C.		3	8	9	10	15	13	12	5		23	5	7		110	66	50		50	No	No
10	Buffalo	Raymond Riddle, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N. C			12	8	16		22			36			1		95	69	123		123	No	No
11	Chestnut Hill	Mrs. Virginia Brown, Crumpler, N. C.		3		12		15		4		10	16				60	40				Yes	No
12	Clifton	Joseph Eastridge, Warrensville			6	6	8	10	6			8	6				50	36				No	No
13	Fairview																						
14	Farmer Memorial																						
15	Franklin	William Patrick, Rt. 2, Darlington, Md.			10	10	12	12	15				36				95		23		23	No	No
16	Friendly Grove	Paul A. Hopkins, Rt. 2 West Jefferson, N. C.		11	6	13	23	14	14		4	23	25		3		156	94	96		96	Yes	Yes
17	Friendship	Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.			13	8	8	12	22		6		66		12		147	70	76		76	Yes	No
18	Glendale	Hilt Severt, Glendale Springs, N. C.	3	3	14		15		10	20	21				6		92	60	42		42	No	No
19	Grassy Creek	Dewey Cox, Grassy Creek, N. C.			24	16	14	10	8				36				108	84	40		40	No	No
20	Healing Springs	Richard Neaves, Crumpler, N. C.				12	14	10	19			97			9		161	83	65		65		
21	Jefferson	W. C. Ballou, West Jefferson, N. C.		3	7	7	10	12	15			17	12		9		97	45	51		51	Yes	No
22	Landmark	June Blackburn, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	3		2	4	10		20			6	20		5		70	45	47		47	No	No
23	Laurel Hill	Oscar Richardson, Rugley, Va.			2	7	7	10	3	2		3	17		3		54	38	22		22	No	No
24	Laurel Knob	Joe Edwards, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.			6		5	9					15				35		32		32	Yes	No
25	Liberty Grove	Joe Brown, Todd, N. C.			2			4				30			5		41	35	14		14	No	No
26	Liberty Hill																						
27	Little Helton	Gilbert Waddell, Grassy Creek, N. C.					18		27			30					75	45	27		27	No	No
28	Long Branch	Glen Eldreth, Lansing, N. C.		2	5	8	4	5				6	6				36	30	30		30	No	No
29	Midway	Jack Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.			12	15	25	14	21			22	19		9		137	71	67		67	Yes	No
30	Mission Home	J. H. Gentry, West Jefferson, N. C.	6		12		12	10		20			30				90	47	52		52	Yes	No

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	CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUP'TS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																				
			39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59
			Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People Single	Young People Married	Young People Away	Adults (25 - 34)	Adults (35 & up)	Extension Dep't.	General Officers	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Church V. B. S. Enrolment	Mission V. B. S. Enrolment	Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	January Bible Study	Preparation Week
31	Mt. Olive	Jack Surber, Todd, N. C.			7		6		5	4		1	10				67	33				No	No
32	Mountain View	Eli Coldiron, Grayson, N. C.				6		5				8	8		4		31	20				No	No
33	New River	R. D. Brown, Crumpler			13	14	15	17				21	40				120	82				No	No
34	North Beaver	Floyd South, West Jefferson		4		5	6	20					16				67	41	19		19	No	No
35	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Lansing, N. C.		3	9	10	9	6				17			7		61	40				No	No
36	Obids	Mrs. Foy Parsons, Rt. 2 West Jefferson, N. C.				10	10	8					14		2		44	21	31		31	No	No
37	Old Fields	Worth Phillips, Rt. 2 West Jefferson, N. C.		1	8	5	9	20	12				42		3		101	69	49		49	No	No
38	Orion	Wiley Lambert, Jefferson, N. C.			3	7	6	4	7	6	1	10	12				56		29		29	No	No
39	Peak Valley	Glen McCoy, Creston, N. C.			1	2	3		3				17				26	13					
40	Phoenix	F. L. Barker, Jr., W. Jefferson, N. C.		3	6	10	6	14	6	14	1		28	5	3		87	60	47		47	Yes	No
41	Pilot Mountain	Lyle J. Vannoy, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.				8	12	14				16	21				71	57				No	No
42	Pine Mountain																						
43	Pine Swamp	Howard Blackburn, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson			5	4	6	7	10				19		8		59	32	25		25	No	No
44	Pleasant Branch	Mrs. Florence Young, Rugley, Va.															34					No	No
45	Pleasant Chapel																						
46	Pleasant Home	Arthur F. Pasley Jr., Grassy Creek, N. C.			4	2	8	5	10	2	3	10	10		6		60	45	34		34	No	No
47	Pleasant Valley	Ward Ballou, Grassy Creek, N. C.				8		6	8			15			4		41	18	13		13	No	No
48	Prosperity																						
49	Rock Creek	Gorden Roark, Rt. 1, Creston, N. C.		7	8	9	7	8	10	11	6	16		6			94	40	23		23	No	No
50	Round Knob	Clifford Smith, Rt. 2, Fleetwood			20		8					24					72	52				No	No
51	Sabbath Home	Roy Elliott, Lansing, N. C.																				No	No
52	Smethport	Lillard Turner, West Jefferson, N. C.																					
53	Sturgills	Paul Weaver, Lansing, N. C.			6	7	10	10	14			20					67	35				No	No
54	Three Forks	Geter Roten, Creston, N. C.				12	6	13					21				52	24				No	No
55	Tuckerdale	Ora Sullivan, Turkerdale, N. C.			14	8	15	11	22				33		8		111	66	81		81	No	No
56	Valley Home	Sam Eldreth, Todd, N. C.			12		8					4	12		4		40		17		17	No	No
57	Wagoner	C. B. Colvard, Jefferson, N. C.			6	7	10	16				10	14				63	51	56		56	Yes	No
58	Warrensville	John M. Burkett, Warrensville, N. C.	2	4	5	3	8	6	8			12	20		3		71	54	42		42	Yes	No
59	Welcome Home	Mrs. Coy Goodman, Crumpler, N. C.				12	10		15				25				82	45	45		45	No	No
60	West Jefferson	W. E. Vannoy, Sr., West Jefferson, N. C.		29	30	37	58	31	29	18		42	104		8		386	182	187		187	Yes	Yes
61	Calvary	Clayborn Wagoner, West Jefferson			18		10	12				8	12				60	40	37		37	Yes	No
		Totals:	14	91	364	422	526	455	409	117	51	616	871	16	139		4158	2352	1783				

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

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Associational Director

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	CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT													
			60 Nursery	61 Beginners	62 Primaries	63 Juniors	64 Intermediates	65 Young People Single	66 Young People Married	67 Adults (25-34)	68 Adults, (35 & up)	69 General Officers	70 Mission Enrolment	71 Grand Total Training Union Enrolment	72 Average Attendance	73 Observe Youth Week?
1	Bald Mountain	John Wade Stevens, West Jefferson			15	10	10			8	6			49	40	Yes
2	Beaver Creek	William Fordan, Rt. 1, Todd				9		16		5	10	1		41	35	No
3	Big Flats	Walter Parsons, Deep Gap, N. C.														
4	Bristol	Mrs. Louise Hooiser, Jefferson, N. C.		5	5	5	10		12		12	5		49	26	No
5	Franklin	Reeves Reedy, Rt. 1, Bel Air, Md.		5	13			14			28			60		
6	Friendly Grove	Mrs. T. D. Watson, West Jefferson		3		10	4		12		20	3		52	36	Yes
7	Friendship	Grover Marsh, Jefferson			4	6	8	8			12	3		41	22	No
8	Jefferson	Paul Swanson, Jefferson Superintendent												20		Yes
9	Little Helton	Wilford Porter, Grassy Creek				6	8	8		21				43	28	No
10	Midway	Howard Jones, West Jefferson		10		15		10		19	11	2		67		No
11	Mission Home	Ella Sue Grogau, Rt. 1, Todd		7		9			13		16	3		48	26	No
12	Old Fields	Robert Fletcher, Fleetwood			6	8	9	14		12		3		52	30	No
13	Orion Baptist Church	J. C. Jenkins, West Jefferson		3	4	6	4	7		12				36		
14	Warrensville	Mrs. Bill Barfield, Warrensville				9	8	8			15	2		42	30	No
15	West Jefferson	Hoyle Stringer, West Jefferson		10	7	19	14	3		21	14	3		91	36	No
	Bethel Mt. Olive Round Knob	Totals Miss Shirley Phillips Miss Jane Howell Walter Parsons		43	54	112	75	78	37	98	144	25		691	309	

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

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Associational Brotherhood Pres.

Address

	CHURCHES	PRES. MEN'S BROTHERHOOD & ADDRESSES	CHRM. ROYAL AMBASSADOR COM. & ADDRESSES	26A No. Junior R. A. Chapters	26B Junior R. A. Enrolment	27A No. Intermediate R. A. Chapters	27B Intermediate R. A. Enrolment	28B Total R. A. Enrolment	29B Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	30B Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	31B Total Men	32B Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Page E. Norris, West Jefferson	Bill Hardin, West Jefferson	1	10	1	7	17		12	12	29
2	West Jefferson	C. M. Payne, West Jefferson	Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson	1	6			6		15	15	21
			Totals:	2	16	1	7	23		27	27	50

TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

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Associational President

Address

	CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	33A Sunbeam Units	34A G. A. Units	35A Y. W. A. Units	36A W. M. S. Units	37A Total Units	33B Sunbeam Enrolment	34B G. A. Enrolment	35B Y. W. A. Enrolment	36B W. M. S. Enrolment	37B Total Enrolment	38 Total Tithers All Organizations
1	Big Flatts			1			1		7			7	1
2	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Alene Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson		2		3	5		27		40	67	25
3	Friendship	Elsie Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.				1	1				15	15	5
4	Jefferson	Mrs. Truman Fender, Jefferson, N. C.				1	1				12	12	
5	Midway	Mrs. Betty Jo Hart, West Jefferson, N. C.											
6	Mission Home	Mrs. Raymond Elliott, West Jefferson, N. C.				1	1				16	16	11
7	Old Fields		1	1		1	3	9	6		17	32	6
8	Pheonix	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Lansing, N. C.				1	1				11	11	4
9	Wagonar	Mrs. Guy Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson, N. C.											
10	Warrensville	Mrs. E. G. Stanley, Warrensville				1	1				13	13	9
11	West Jefferson	Mrs. Jennings Rader, West Jefferson	2	1	1	1		21	18	9	90	138	53
		Totals:	3	5	1	10	14	30	58	9	214	381	118

TABLE H TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

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Associational Treasurer

Address

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	87 Total Receipts for All Purposes	88 Pastor's Salary	89 Other Church Staff Salaries	90 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	91 All Other Local Expenses	92 Grand Total Local Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Rt. 1, Husk, N. C.	333.16	154.36			124.87	279.23
2	Bald Mountain	Fred Lawrence, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	1594.80	495.00			626.82	1121.82
3	Baptist Home	T. R. Sturgill, Creston, N. C.	337.12	107.98			229.14	337.12
4	Beaver Creek	Paul R. Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	1327.97	281.40			2781.30	3062.70
5	Bethel	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.	647.75	269.25			321.40	590.65
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	1880.15	482.61			485.65	968.26
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Grayson, N. C.	1247.91	204.63			942.99	1171.62
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.		228.70			223.14	451.84
9	Bristol	Minnie Lee Day, Jefferson, N. C.	1749.56	637.17			982.16	1619.33
10	Buffalo	Mrs. Arthur Harless, West Jefferson, N. C.	2103.00	633.00			966.00	1599.00
11	Chestnut Hill	Spencer Brown, Rt. 1, Crumpler, N. C.		340.42			350.74	691.16
12	Clifton	John Richardson, Warransville	306.18	190.00			179.65	369.65
13	Fairview	Mamie Pasley, Grassy Creek		12.50				
14	Farmer Memorial	Dewey Farmer, Rt. 1, Whitetop, Va.						
15	Franklin	Nora E. Patrick, Darlington, Md.	1570.14	556.10			1171.10	1727.20
16	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Dona B. Hardin, West Jefferson, N. C.	5993.60	1411.70			2162.86	3574.56
17	Friendship	Mrs. John C. Witherspoon, Jefferson, N. C.	4761.94	1340.00			1663.43	3003.43
18	Glendale	Hilt Severt, Glendale Springs, N. C.		266.00			4430.00	4705.00
19	Grassy Creek	W. Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek, N. C.	3431.89	848.75			1588.89	2437.64
20	Healing Springs	Annie Neaves, Crumpler, N. C.	2440.00	1440.00			745.56	2185.56
21	Jefferson	Lola Porter, P. O. Box 224, Jefferson, N. C.		2240.00			1049.32	3289.32
22	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	1226.15	266.95			682.98	949.93
23	Laurel Hill	Nella Smith, Rugby, Va.	209.38	112.27			62.71	174.98
24	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Ruth Holman, West Jefferson, N. C.	2189.12	960.00			1003.91	1963.91
25	Liberty Grove	Marshall Perkins, Todd		344.79			156.92	545.69
26	Liberty Hill							
27	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	226.54	144.00			369.72	513.72
28	Long Branch	Mrs. Foe Fletcher, Lansing, N. C.	365.05	247.85			92.95	340.80
29	Midway	Loyd Witherspoon, West Jefferson, N. C.		1746.00			2007.05	3753.05
30	Mission Home	Foster Brown, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	2127.35	1314.78			576.31	1891.09

TABLE H TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Treasurer

Address

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	87 Total Receipts for All Purposes	88 Pastor's Salary	89 Other Church Staff Salaries	90 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	91 All Other Local Expenses	92 Grand Total Local Expenditures
31	Mt. Olive	Betty Surber, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	990.10	180.29			346.22	528.51
32	Mountain View	Freeman Greer, Grayson, N. C.		101.00			100.00	201.00
33	New River	G. H. Pugh, Crumpler		459.00			4597.11	5056.11
34	North Beaver	James W. McNeill, West Jefferson, N. C.		236.51			415.00	651.51
35	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	753.36	325.00			366.49	691.49
36	Obids	Mrs. Gladys F. Dillard, West Jefferson, N. C.	934.31	381.24			443.45	824.69
37	Old Fields	Mrs. Cecil Yates, Deep Gap, N. C.	5008.78	3081.00			1927.78	5008.78
38	Orion	Wade Bare, West Jefferson, N. C.	1431.77	507.38			671.03	1178.41
39	Peak Valley	Mrs. Edd Sluder, Creston, N. C.	625.21	240.00			209.71	449.71
40	Phoenix	Mrs. F. L. Waddle, Lansing	4216.72	621.35			3169.37	3775.72
41	Pilot Mountain	Jont R. Greene, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	2084.91	954.00	297.00		941.00	2192.00
42	Pine Mountain							
43	Pine Swamp	Mrs. Eula Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	515.16	254.19			202.22	456.41
44	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.		82.62			1530.00	1612.62
45	Pleasant Chapel	Chester Elliott, Lansing	225.00	150.00			75.00	225.00
46	Pleasant Home	Arthur F. Pasley, Jr., Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, N. C.	1331.67	300.00			824.28	1124.28
47	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, N. C.	538.48	265.00			226.48	491.48
48	Prosperity							
49	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Rt. 1, Creston, N. C.	275.00	115.00			102.61	217.61
50	Round Knob	Onnie Cox, Fleetwood, N. C.		100.10			161.37	261.47
51	Sabbath Home	Carson Thompson, Lansing, N. C.	410.00	250.00			100.00	350.00
52	Smethport	Ola Day, West Jefferson, N. C.		146.00			333.42	579.42
53	Sturgills	Mrs. Edna Wyatt, Lansing, N. C.		175.00			269.43	444.43
54	Three Forks	Mrs. Edgar Mahala, Creston, N. C.	732.69	313.89			319.71	633.60
55	Tuckerdale	Ronda Powers, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	1046.12	411.07			425.85	836.96
56	Valley Home	Mrs. Grace Perkins, Todd, N. C.	353.52	271.75			71.77	343.52
57	Wagoner	Mrs. George C. Bower, Rt. 1, Jefferson, N. C.	2081.00	530.00			252.97	782.97
58	Warrensville	Roy Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.	5800.00	2600.00			16445.00	19045.00
59	Welcome Home	Mrs. Earl Goodman, Crumpler, N. C.		500.00			2000.00	2500.00
60	West Jefferson	B. F. Cook, West Jefferson, N. C.	31964.16	4200.00	1400.00		56233.71	58053.71
61	Calvary	Mrs. Arabelle Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.	672.78	110.00			509.26	619.26
		Totals:	98,059.50	35,057.62	1,697.00		119,247.78	152,453.91

TABLE I MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Miss'y.

Address

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	93 Cooperative Program	94 Designated Association	95 Designated State Missions	96 Designated Home Missions	97 Designated Foreign Missions	98 Designated Christian Education, Schools	99 Designated Children's Home	100 Designated Hospitals	101 Other designated objects Bible Society, Homes for Aged, etc.	102 Total Mission Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Rt. 1, Husk, N. C.	3.43	30.00					8.50	12.00		53.93
2	Bald Mountain	Dean Laurence, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N. C.		45.00	22.50			14.00	47.50	32.50	31.00	192.50
3	Baptist Home	Robert N. Lewis, Creston, N. C.										
4	Beaver Creek	Mrs. Rosalie Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.		24.00					25.00	40.00	19.58	108.58
5	Bethel	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.		24.00					10.00	12.40		46.40
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	5.00	24.00	18.20	5.00	16.00		72.36	29.00	6.60	176.16
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Grayson, N. C.	4.67	24.00						30.00	7.00	65.67
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.		78.50					30.00	25.00		168.50
9	Bristol	Mrs. Flake Roland, Jefferson, N. C.	12.01	36.00	17.00		30.00		35.00	50.00	20.00	206.01
10	Buffalo	Roby Swift, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N. C.	20.00	95.00					70.00	60.00		245.00
11	Chestnut Hill	Mrs. Fay Gambill, Crumpler, N. C.	5.00	5.00					24.00	13.00	5.00	52.00
12	Clifton	Mary Lee Hartsoe, Warrensville, N. C.				28.59			4.75	16.35	4.58	54.27
13	Fairview	Mamie Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.										
14	Farmer Memorial	Sue Carol Farmer, Rt. 1, Whitetop, Va.										
15	Franklin	Mrs. Retha Reedy, Rt. 1, Bel Air, Md.							25.00	21.00	28.00	74.00
16	Friendly Grove	McDaniel Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.	452.48	403.00	50.00	55.23	165.40	35.00	220.00	159.17	25.00	1565.28
17	Friendship	Clifford C. Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.	464.68	179.00	2.90	50.39	257.39	40.00	83.25	175.00	83.25	1346.40
18	Glendale	Ellen Miller, Glendale Springs, N. C.								19.00		19.00
19	Grassy Creek	Margaret Hornberger, Grassy Creek, N. C.	150.00	75.00	25.00	25.00	125.00		75.00	100.00	25.00	600.00
20	Healing Springs	Thelma Fender, Crumpler, N. C.	117.95	120.00		222.80			200.00	100.00		738.80
21	Jefferson		50.00	25.00						15.00		90.00
22	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	53.37	48.00					50.00	50.00	10.00	211.37
23	Laurel Hill	Barbara J. Kilby, Rugby, Va.								20.30		20.30
24	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Myrtle Edwards, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	56.50	30.00				20.28	15.37	19.56	67.31	209.02
25	Liberty Grove	John Richardson, Fleetwood, N. C.	11.47	85.00	8.12	9.45	5.00	5.00	40.00	25.00	12.34	230.38
26	Liberty Hill	Ovid Woodruff, Crumpler, N. C.										
27	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, N. C.	10.16	42.00					17.42	50.00	14.30	133.88
28	Long Branch	John Welch, Lansing							12.21	10.00	2.04	24.25
29	Midway	Paul Phillips, West Jefferson		45.00					34.25	75.25		154.50
30	Mission Home	Garland Grogan, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	40.00	72.00	38.82	25.00	50.00	20.00	60.00	60.00	25.00	512.58

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31	Mt. Olive	Lester Surber, West Jefferson, N.C.			11.11	24.00			20.00	20.00	15.00	90.11
32	Mountain View	Russell Wyatt, Grayson, N.C.								12.00		12.00
33	New River	G. H. Pugh, Crumpler	41.40	50.00					207.10	26.00	51.00	375.50
34	North Beaver	Mrs. Jackie Miller, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N.C.	36.00							14.00		50.00
35	Oak Hill	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2, Lansing, N.C.	8.96	36.00						9.40	7.51	61.87
36	Obids	Mrs. Nettie McNeill, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	11.12	36.00					28.00	25.00	9.50	109.62
37	Old Fields	J. T. Hamby, Fleetwood, N.C.	209.00	96.00	29.75	25.00	51.00		100.00	37.50	15.00	562.25
38	Orion	J. F. Dillard, Jefferson, N.C.	48.00	136.00					68.36	21.00		273.36
39	Peak Valley	Mrs. Glen McCoy, Creston, N.C.	48.00	30.00					41.50	38.00	18.00	175.50
40	Phoenix	Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing, N.C.	17.00	65.00	20.00	12.00	24.00	27.00	95.00	33.00	25.00	318.00
41	Pilot Mountain	Howard Parsons, Rt. 1, Boone, N.C.		12.00			37.83		75.00	17.30		142.13
42	Pine Mountain											
43	Pine Swamp	Howard Hartzog, Fleetwood, N.C.	5.00	12.00					31.75	10.00		58.75
44	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.								20.00		20.00
45	Pleasant Chapel	Wade Elliott, Lansing, N.C.	20.00							28.00		48.00
46	Pleasant Home	Mrs. Doris Woodruff, Rt. 1, Grassy Creek, N.C.		50.00					50.00	50.00		150.00
47	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek		14.00					10.00	23.00		47.00
48	Prosperity											
49	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Rt. 1, Creston, N.C.	5.00	30.00				5.00	5.00	15.00	5.00	65.00
50	Round Knob	Martha Severt, Fleetwood		24.00						10.00		34.00
51	Sabbath Home	Thomas E. Hamm, Lansing, N.C.								13.00		13.00
52	Smethport	Ola Day, West Jefferson, N.C.	6.64						20.00	21.17		47.81
53	Sturgills	Edna Wyatt, Lansing, N.C.	9.00	20.00					6.75	33.55	10.00	79.30
54	Three Forks	G. Everette Lewis, Creston, N.C.		48.00					8.00	15.55		71.55
55	Tuckerdale	Mrs. Lessie Clark, Rt. 2, Tuckerdale, N.C.	25.00			25.00		15.00	40.00	104.16		209.16
56	Valley Home	Mrs. Herman Greer, Todd, N.C.								20.00		20.00
57	Wagoner	Mrs. Betty Seymour, Rt. 1, Jefferson, N.C.	53.38	25.00			62.22		20.00	35.00	19.00	214.60
58	Warrensville	Roy Ashley, Warrensville, N.C.	104.00	102.00	5.00	7.00	26.00			80.00	10.30	334.30
59	Welcome Home	Mrs. Louise Witherspoon, Jefferson, N.C.		20.00						30.00		50.00
60	West Jefferson		3146.94	800.00	135.81	391.39	801.65		325.00	324.75	124.50	6050.04
61	Calvary	Mrs. Arabelle Miller, West Jefferson, N.C.	7.50	13.00					2.00	2.75		25.25
		Totals	5258.66	3128.50	384.21	905.85	1651.49	181.28	2313.04	2308.66	695.81	17,152.35

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West Jefferson, N. C.

AUGUST 16-17, 1962

George West ---------- Moderator
Rev. R. C. Ashley ---------- Vice-Moderator
McDaniel Harless ---------- Clerk and Treasurer

The Next Session Will Be Held With
PHOENIX BAPTIST CHURCH
Lansing, N. C.
August 15, 1963

PILOT MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Todd, N. C.
August 16, 1963.

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator ---------- George West, Grassy Creek, N. C.
1st Vice-Moderator ---------- Rev. R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.
Second Vice-Moderator ---------- Rev. Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.
Clerk and Treasurer ---------- McDaniel Harless, West Jefferson, N. C.
Superintendent of Missions----- Rev. Audley B. Frazier, West Jefferson, N. C.
Sunday School Superintendent--- Rev. Wm. E. Burchett, West Jefferson, N. C.
Training Union Director ---------- D. C. Severt, West Jefferson, N. C.
W. M. U. President ---------- Mrs. Ralph Parsons, West Jefferson, N. C.
Brotherhood President ---------- Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.
Chairman of Evangelism -------- Rev. W. T. Brackett, West Jefferson, N. C.
Moderator of Ministerial Conference - Rev. R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.
Director of Music Committee--- Mrs. Audley B. Frazier, West Jefferson, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chm. ---------- Jefferson, N. C.
Rev. A. P. Howell ---------- Lansing, N. C.
Rev. J. Herman Gentry ---------- West Jefferson, N. C.
Johnie Roten ---------- Grayson, N. C.
Gerald Denny ---------- Crumpler, N. C.
Paul Hopkins ---------- West Jefferson, N. C.
Moody Hale ---------- Grassy Creek, N. C.
Guy Shatley ---------- Jefferson, N. C.
John Burkett ---------- Warrensville, N. C.

COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES

Rev. A. P. Howell, Chm. ---------- Lansing, N. C.
Walter Houck ---------- West Jefferson, N. C.
Rev. Walter Day ---------- West Jefferson, N. C.
John M. Burkett ---------- Warrensville, N. C.
David Harless ---------- West Jefferson, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1963

State, Home and Foreign Missions ---------- Gerald Denny
Children Homes ---------- Rev. Roe Pasley
Hospital ---------- Rev. J. Herman Gentry
Pastors' Salaries and Retirement ---------- Ira T. Johnson
Homes for the Aging ---------- Mrs. F. L. Waddell
Christian Education ---------- Cecil (Butch) Atwood
Christian Literature ---------- Harold Ashley
American Bible Society ---------- Miss Nancy Dillard
Temperance and Public Morals ---------- Rev. H. M. Winkler
Evangelism ---------- Rev. W. T. Brackett
Associational Missions---------- Rev. Audley B. Frazier

Sunday School ---------- Rev. Wm. E. Burchett
Training Union ---------- D. C. Severt
W. M. U. ---------- Mrs. Ralph Parsons
Brotherhood ---------- Guy T. Shatley
Ministerial Conference ---------- Rev. John Goodman
Music Committee ---------- Mrs. Audley B. Frazier

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Rev. R. C. Ashley, Chm. ---------- Warrensville, N. C.
Guy T. Shatley ---------- Jefferson, N. C.
C. M. Payne ---------- West Jefferson, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC OFFICERS

MUSIC DIRECTOR	Mrs. Audley Frazier West Jefferson, N. C.
PASTOR-ADVISOR	Rev. Carroll Burkett Jefferson, N. C.
DIR. OF INSTRUMENTAL ACTIVITIES	Mrs. Dewey Campbell West Jefferson, N. C.
DIRECTOR OF TRAINING	Mrs. Clifford Lindsey Jefferson, N. C.
DIR. OF CONGREGATIONAL ACTIVITIES	Mr. Dewey Campbell West Jefferson, N. C.
DIR. OF GRADED CHOIR ACT.	Mrs. W. T. Whittington Jefferson, N. C.
DIR. OF PUBLICITY AND PROMOTION	Mrs. Bill Shifflett Warrensville, N. C.

BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS

President ---------- Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.
Vice-President ---------- Marvin Osborne, West Jefferson, N. C.
Advisory Council ---------- Rev. Wm. P. Shiflett, Warrensville, N. C.
Rev. R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Rev. G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
Secretary ---------- Paul Swanson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Royal Ambassador Leader ---------- Bill Hardin, West Jefferson, N. C.
Christian Witness Leader ---------- Burl Hartzog, Fleetwood, N. C.
Personal Stewardship Leader ---------- John Burkett, Warrensville, N. C.
World Missions Leader ---------- A. D. Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.

OFFICERS FOR THE ASHE SUNDAY SCHOOL ORGANIZATION 1962-1963

Superintendent ---------- Rev. W. E. Burchett, West Jefferson, N. C.
Superintendent of Training ------- Rev. John Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.

Superintendent of Evangelism and Enlargement ----------
Rev. G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer ---------- Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing, N. C.
Vacation Bible School Superintendent -------- Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.
Chorister ---------- Mr. Grover Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Pianist ----------Miss Nancy Dillard, Jefferson, N. C.

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS

Extension ---------- Mrs. W. T. Brackett, West Jefferson, N. C.
Cradle Roll ---------- Mrs. Ronald Halsey, Jefferson, N. C.
Nursery ---------- Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, N. C.
Beginner---------- Mrs. Nettie McNeill, West Jefferson, N. C.
Primary ---------- Mrs. Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.
Junior ----------Mrs. A. E. Sells, Todd, N. C.
Intermediate ---------- Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson, N. C.
Young People ----------Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N. C.
Adult ---------- Marvin Osborne, West Jefferson, N. C.

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS

Group I ----------Johnie Roten, Grayson, N. C.
Group II ---------- James Eller, Lansing, N. C.
Group III ---------- Mrs. Doris Woodruff, Grassy Creek, N. C.
Group IV ----------Roby Swift, West Jefferson, N. C.
Group V ---------- Burl Hartzog, Fleetwood, N. C.
Group VI ---------- Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.

W. M. U. OFFICERS

President ----------Mrs. Ralph Parsons, West Jefferson, N. C.
Associate President ---------- Mrs. W. T. Whittington, Jefferson, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer -------- Mrs. J. T. McMillan, West Jefferson, N. C.
Y. W. A. Director ---------- Mrs. Hoyle Stringer, West Jefferson, N. C.
G. A. Director ---------- Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, N. C.
Sunbeam Director ----------Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
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Prayer Chairman ----------Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Mission Study Chairman ---------- Mrs. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.
Community Missions Chairman ----Mrs. A. M. Frazier, West Jefferson, N. C.
Literature Chairman ----------Miss Murlie Watson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Margaret Fund Chairman ----------Mrs. R. C. Shoaf, Warrensville, N. C.
Jubilee Chairman ----------Mrs. Walter Maye, West Jefferson, N. C.

TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

DIRECTOR D. C. Severt, West Jefferson, N. C.
Associate Dir. Tommy Johnson, Jefferson, N. C.

Pastor-Advisor	Rev. John Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.
Choister	Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Pianist	Mrs. William Jordan, Todd, N. C.
Sec-Treas.	Mrs. T. D. Watson, West Jefferson, N. C.

DEPARTMENTAL LEADERS

Nursery	Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Beginner	Mrs. Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
Primary	Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.
Junior	Rev. A. E. Sells, Fleetwood, N. C.
Intermediate	Mr. Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N. C.
Young People	Mrs. Tommy Hardin, West Jefferson, N. C.
Adults	Rev. J. Herman Gentry, West Jefferson, N. C.

GROUP LEADERS

Group I	Rev. Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.
Group II	Mr. Frank Roten, Lansing, N. C.
Group III	Mrs. Bill Eggers, Grassy Creek, N. C.
Group IV	Mrs. Leonard Hudler, West Jefferson, N. C.
Group V	Mr. Sanford Howell, Fleetwood, N. C.
Group VI	Mr. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.

ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES, 1963

January	
6	Soul-Winning Commitment Day
7--11	January Bible Study
15	Sunday School Officers Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
17	W.M.U. & Brotherhood Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
18	Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
23-25	State VBS Clinic, Wingate College
26	Pastors' Conference, 10 A. M.
27	Baptist Men's Day
28-Feb. 1	Preachers' School
February	
3	Baptist World Alliance Sunday
5	Baptist Hospital Representatives' Meeting, Winston-Salem

5	BTU & Music Officers' Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
7	Sunday School Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
11-13	State-wide Evangelistic Conference
17	Special Day & Offering Homes for the Aging
23	Pastors' Conference, 10 A.M.

March

4-8	WMU Week of Prayer for Home Missions & Annie Armstrong Offering
5	State-wide Conference on Human Relations
10	Home Missions Day in Sunday School
12	W.M.U. & Brotherhood Officers Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
14	Training Union Mass Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
12-14	Annual State WMU Meeting, Charlotte
17-23	Youth Week
23	Baptist Youth Night
23	Pastors' Conference, 10 A.M.
24	Life Commitment Day
24	Hymn Sing, 2:30 P.M.
26	Associational Leadership Training for Region VII

April

5	Region VII Training Union Convention
14	Easter Sunday
16	Sunday School Officers' Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
18	WMU & Brotherhood Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
15-21	Week of Prayer for Associational Missions
19	Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
22-26	World Missions Week
29	Region VII Brotherhood Convention

May

2	Vacation Bible School Clinic 4:30--9:15 P.M.
3-5	Training Union Youth Convention

5--12	Christian Home Week
6-7	WMU Annual Meeting (SBC) Kansas City
7--10	Southern Baptist Convention, Kansas City
12	Baptist Hospital & Mother's Day Offering
14	BTU & Music Officers' Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
16	Sunday School Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
21	Region VII Christian Education Advance Workshop
June	Vacation Bible School Promotion
11	WMU & Brotherhood Officers' Planning Meeting, 8 P.M.
13	Training Union Mass Meeting, 8 P.M.
14	Annual Associational WMU Meeting
16	Father's Day and Christian Education Sunday
22	Pastors' Conference, 10 A. M.
23	Hymn Sing, 2:30 P.M.
July	
1---5	Week of Study and Fellowship, Mars Hill College
16	Sunday School Officers' Planning Meeting, 8 P.M.
19	Executive Committee Meeting, 8 P. M.
29	Regional Children's Homes Meeting, Asheville
August	
13	BTU & Music Officers' Planning Meeting, 8 P.M.
15, 16	Annual Associational Meeting, Phoenix & Pilot Mountain Churches
24	Pastors' Conference, 10 A.M.
25	Off to College Day
September	
2---6	Training-Planning Meeting for Associational Officers
10	Sunday School Action Night, 7:30 P.M.
15	State Missions Day And Offering
21	Pastors' Conference, 10 A.M.

22	Hymn Sing, 2:30 P.M.
22-28	Sunday School Preparation Week
October	COOPERATIVE PROGRAM EMPHASIS MONTH
11-12	State Brotherhood Conference, Asheville
15	Sunday School Officers' Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
17	WMU & Brotherhood Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
18	Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
21-25	Deacons' Schools
26	Pastors' Conference, 10 A.M.
November	
5	BTU & Music Officers' Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
7	Sunday School Meeting, 7:30 P.M.
12-14	Baptist State Convention, Wilmington
15	Evangelistic Clinic
17, 24	Thanksgiving Offering Children's Homes
23	Pastors' Conference. 10 A.M.
December	
2	"M" Night
5, 6	Associational Missionaries & Staff Leaders Workshop
9-13	WMU Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
15	Foreign Missions Day in Sunday School
17	Carol Sing, 7:30 P.M.
21	Pastors' Conference, 10 A.M.
29	Student Night at Christmas
30	WMU & Brotherhood Officers' Planning Meeting, 7:30 P.M.

PROGRAM
ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1963 SESSION
PHOENIX BAPTIST CHURCH
AUGUST 15, 1963

MORNING SESSION

9:00 Worship, Song, Scripture, Prayer ---------- Rev. R. C. Ashley

9:15 Organization and Business
1. Seating of Messengers
2. Recognition of New Churches
3. Adoption of Program
4. Recognition of Visitors and New Pastors
5. Appointment of Committees
(1) Resolutions Committee
(2) Place and Preacher Committee

9:30 Business Session
1. Report of Executive Committee ---------- Rev. G. C. Burkett
2. Report of Associational Missions --------- Rev. Audley B. Frazier
3. Report of Treasurer ---------- McDaniel Harless
4. Report of Finance Committee ---------- Rev. R. C. Ashley
5. Report of the Committee of Five
6. Election of Officers for next year

10:30 Congregation Song

10:35 Our Churches at Work
1. Sunday School Report ---------- Rev. Wm. E. Burchett
2. Training Union Report ---------- D. C. Severt
3. W. M. U. Report ---------- Mrs. Ralph Parsons
4. Brotherhood Report ----------Guy T. Shatley
5. Music Committee Report Mrs. Audley B. Frazier

11:20 Music

11:25 Associational Sermon ---------- Rev. Wm. E. Burchett
Alternate: Rev. Cecil Ballou

12:00 Recess for Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:15 Worship, Song, Scripture, Prayer ---------- Rev. Lawrence Goodman

1:25 Churches and Christian Missions
1. Report on Christian Education ----------Cecil (Butch) Atwood
2. Report on State, Home, Foreign Missions ----------Gerald Denny
3. Report on Christian Literature ---------- Harold Ashley

3:00 Adjourn

PILOT MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CHURCH

AUGUST 15, 1963

MORNING SESSION

9:00 Worship, Song, Scripture, Prayer ---------- Rev. Elwood Goodman

9:15 Miscellaneous Business
Election of Officers for All Organizations

9:45 The Churches in the Community
1. Report on Public Morals ---------- Rev. H. M. Winkler
2. Report on Evangelism ----------Rev. W. T. Brackett

10:10 Congregational Song

10:15 Address ---------- Rev. W. T. Brackett

10:45 The Churches and the Ministry

1. Report of Ministerial Conference ---------- Rev. John Goodman
2. Report on Pastors' Salaries and Ministerial Retirement
Ira T. Johnson

11:10 Report on American Bible Society ---------- Miss Nancy Dillard
Comments on the Bible Society ---------- Rev. G. C. Burkett

11:20 Music

11:25 Missionary Sermon ---------- Rev. Elwood Goodman

12:00 Recess for Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:15 Worship, Song, Scripture, Prayer ---------- Rev. Cecil Ballou

1:25 Address ---------- Rev. M. D. Hart

2:00 The Churches and Benevolent Services
1. Report on Children's Homes ---------- Rev. Roe Pasley
2. Report on Hospital ---------- Rev. J. Herman Gentry
3. Report on Homes for the Aging ---------- Mrs. F. L. Waddell

2:45 Congregational Song

2:50 Miscellaneous Business
1. Report on Place and Preacher
2. Report of Resolutions Committee
3. Reading and Approval of the Minutes

3:00 Memorial Service ---------- Rev. R. R. Campbell
Adjourn

MINISTERS NOT SERVING AS PASTORS

Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek
Judson Blevins, New York, N.Y.
Lester Blevins, New Town, Pa.
David R. Brown, Todd, N. C.
John A. Campbell, Lancing, N. C.
G. L. Denny, Tracy City, Tenn.
Wesley Eldreth, Jefferson, N. C.
J. Herman Gentry, West Jefferson
Spencer Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.
Benjamin Green, Cove Creek, N. C.
Elmer Ham, West Jefferson, N. C.
Paul Horne, West Jefferson, N.C.
Jack McGinnis, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro, N.C.
Herbert Mason, Jefferson, N. C.
James Miller, Eubank, Ky.
Smith Miller, Burlington, N. C.
W. O. Mullis, Jefferson, N. C.
Roger Osborne, Fig, N. C.
Eugene Phillips, Modena, Pa.
Thomas Salmons, Jefferson, N. C.
Ralph Smith, West Jefferson
Floyd F. South, West Jefferson, N. C.
W. C. Trivette, West Jefferson, N. C.
Everette Trivette, Damascus, Virginia

Gathus Vannoy, Todd, N. C.
William F. Vannoy, Todd, N. C.
Lyle J. Vannoy, Todd, N. C.
Bob Woodruff, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C.
Glenn Woodie, Jefferson, N. C.

RETIRED MINISTERS

T. J. Cockerham - Crumpler
W. E. Denny - Lansing
R. L. Dolinger - Jefferson
T. M. Hayes - Crumpler
Keene Roark - Creston
H. M. Winkler - Fleetwood

MINISTERS LICENSED

Bill Ballou - Jefferson
Lawrence Goodman - Tood
David Hartzog - West Jefferson
Russell Wyatt - Grayson

MINISTERS ORDAINED

Carl Hail - West Jefferson, N. C.

CONSTITUTION

Article I Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communities closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken as may be decided upon by the Association.

Article II Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in co-operation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. The Moderator (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) shall preside over all the sessions of the Association, preserve order, and perform such other duties as are required of presiding officers.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the preceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. The Associational Missionary shall work with the Churches in promoting the program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and the Southern Baptist Convention and promoting the enlistment of the Churches in the cooperative support of the causes fostered by said bodies and under the direction of the Executive Committee of the Association.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational Missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Article V Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three for one year, three for two years, three for three years, and at the expiration of each term, for a period of three years. After the completion of one term no member shall be eligible for re-election to this committee until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this committee may be chosen from any one church of the Association. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to co-operate with the officers and pastors of the Association and the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and with the Southern Baptist Convention in promoting and advancing the work of the denomination within the bounds of the Association; to act for the Association in any necessary matter between sessions; to supervise and direct the work of the Associational Missionary; to perform any other duties that may be designated by the Association; and to make a report to the Association at each annual session. Vacancies occuring in this committee shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct tne organization of new churches in accordance withthe rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed or mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister, to deliver the Associational Sermon, and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Committees named in this article shall be elected by the Association on the first day of each annual session unless otherwise here-in-before provided. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members to suggest the composition of said committees and their election shall be by the Association.

Article VI Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening on Thursday before the third Sunday in August of each year at such place as may be designated by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as hereinbefore provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII Power and Prerogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowship from any

church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to co-operate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.
2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.
4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.
6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgement.
9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.
2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.
3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.
4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.
5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry,

the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES

August 16, 1962 the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association opened its seventy-sixth session for the purpose of transacting business. The session opened with devotional led by the host pastor, Rev. W. P. Shiflett.

MODERATORS PERIOD.

Seating of messengers and pastors.

Motion made to adopt program as the procedure of the Association. Motion adopted.

Visitors:

R. H. Pruitt, Gardner Webb College
L. H Hollingsworth, Wake Forest College
J. R. Shumate, Sugar Grove, Virginia
Mrs. Mack Wagoner
Mrs. E. E. Caudill
Mrs. A. O. Joines - Allegheny Association

New Pastors

W. W. Blackburn, Fairview Baptist Church

The following Committees were appointed:
Place and Preacher: W. T. Brackett, Reeves Jones, H. M. Winkler
Executive Committee: Rev. W. E. Denny, Brantly Burkett, D. C. Severt
Resolution Committee: Rev. Rexford Campbell, Moody Hale, Rev. Frank Tucker
Business and Reports:

1. Report of the Executive Committee: Rev. G. C. Burkett, motion to adopt report. Report adopted.
2. Associational Missionary Report, Rev. Audley Frazier. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.
3. Treasurers report by McDaniel Harless. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.
4. Report of Finance Committee, Rev. R. C. Ashley, motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

5. Report of the Committee on Proposed Constitution, Rev. R. R. Campbell. Motion that by unanimous concent the action taken last year be recended and that a vote be taken on the proposed constitution today with anyone wishing to reopen the action be given this privilege at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday. Motion defeated.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

George E. West - Nominated and elected as Moderator.
R. C. Ashley - Nominated and elected as Vice Moderator.
Motion made that Rev. Paul Phipps serve as 2nd Vice Moderator.
Motion carried.
McDaniel Harless - Nominated and elected Clerk and Treasurer.

OUR CHURCHES AT WORK

Report on Sunday School, Rev. W. E. Burchett. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on Training Union, D. C. Severt. Motion to adopt Report. Discussion D. C. Severt and Billy Joe Dixon. Report adopted.

Report on W. M. U., Mrs. Ralph Parsons. Motion to adopt report. Discussion by Mrs. Leonard Hudler and Mrs. F. L. Waddell. Report adopted.

Report on Brotherhood, Guy T. Shatley. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on Music. Mrs. A. B. Frazier. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Motion that 5 minutes be allotted of this time for report on Baptist Foundation, R. R. Campbell. Motion to adopt report. Discussion L. H. Hollingsworth, report adopted.

Motion that a letter of sympathy and concern be sent to Claude Gaddy by the Clerk and Moderator on behalf of the Association. Motion carried.
Associational Message - Rev. Arnold Bell
Recess for lunch

After a very delicious lunch the association convened for the afternoon session with worship period led by Rev. J. Elwood Goodman.

Motion that offering be taken today and tomorrow for the purpose of drilling well at the Missionary's Home.

Report on Christian Education, Miss Polly Phipps. Motion to adopt report. Discussion Roy Pruitt, Gardner Webb; McCloud, Mars Hill; L. H. Hollingsworth, Wake Forest. Report adopted.

Report on State, Home and Foreign Missions, Rev. W. E. Denny. Motion to adopt report, discussion by Mr. Harthcock. Report Adopted.

Report on Christian Literature. Motion made that report be adopted in minutes. Motion carried. Discussion C. W. Bazemone.

Friday morning session opened at Friendly Grove Baptist Church with devotional led by the Host Pastor, Rev. W. T. Brackett.

Visitors: W. H. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. James Broyhill, Caldwell Association and Guy Cain.

Nominating committee to present executive committee. Motion to accept the officers presented by committee. Motion carried.

Finance Committee appointed by Moderator - R. C. Ashley, Guy Shatley, C. M. Payne.

Motion to retain the same committee on New Churches. Motion carried.

Motion to accept the W. M. U. officers. Motion carried.

Motion to accept Music Officer. Motion carried.

Motion when T. U. Committee reports on officers we accept their report and include in minutes. Motion carried.

Motion to accept Sunday School officer. Motion carried.

Motion to accept Brotherhood officer. Motion carried.

Report on Public Morals. Rev. H. M. Winkler, motion to adopt report. Motion carried.

Report on Evangelism - Rev. W. T. Brackett. Motion to adopt report. Motion carried.

Song "Onward, Christian Soldiers"

Motion that offering for well at Missionary's home be taken. Motion carried.

Report on American Bible Society by Mrs. W. T. Whittington. Motion to adopt report. Discussion W. T. Whittington. Report adopted.

Report on Ministerial Conference. Rev. John Goodman. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on Pastors Salary and Ministerial Retirement - Rev. R. R. Campbell. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, Guy Cain. Report adopted.

Discussion on proposed Constitution. Motion that constitution be adopted with Section 4; Article 1 included, which was left out through error. 76 for; 32 against. Motion carried.

Motion that constitution that was adopted become effective 1963 session. Motion carried.

Song: "When We All Get To Heaven"

Comments by Rev. W. H. Caldwell.

Visitor recognized - Mrs. Van Miller, Alleghany. Bro. Joe Johnson, one of our oldest members recognized.

Missionary Sermon - Rev. W. T. Brackett. Subject: "Why A Soul Winner?" II Cor. 4:1-13.

Worship - Paul Phipps

Motion that Clerk send message of condolence to Bro. Spencer Goodman whose wife has passed away. Motion carried.

Address -- Rev. W. E. Denny. Scripture Acts 2:41-47. Theme: "The Model Church" or "A Church in Action."

Motion that time be extended to take care of the business of the day. Motion carried.

Report on The Children's Home Rev. Roe Pasley. Motion to adopt report. Discussion John Roberts. Report adopted.

Report on the Hospital. Rev. J. Herman Gentry. Motion to adopt. Discussion by Albert Myberry. Report adopted.

Report on Home for Aged - Mrs. F. L. Waddell. Motion to adopt report. Discussion Mrs. Gretchen Bowles. Report adopted.

Report on Place and Preacher. Rev. W. T. Brackett. Motion to accept report with place referred to Executive Committee. Report adopted.

Report on Resolutions Committee. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Motion that minutes be approved without reading. Motion carried.

Motion that the session be adjourned at the close of the memorial service. Motion carried. Memorial Service

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee met quarterly and had one called meeting to carry on the work for the past year. The following served as officers: Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chairman, Paul Hopkins as Vice-Chairman and Audley Frazier as Secretary.

Several items of business claimed our attention during the year. We have tried to be faithful to our Association and to the Lord in carrying on this business. The items of business are as follows:

1. The main business throughout the year was the promotion of plans and procedures to meet our associational budget. This was done in part by making a special appeal to members of our churches to give an extra donation to help meet payments on the missionary home. The response was very favorable. We are happy to announce that the financing of our program this year was much easier than in previous years. We commend our people for their fine cooperation. We also commend our churches for their participation in helping meet our regular mission budget.

2. We approved the 1962 Calendar of Activities, with the addition of a Church Finance Clinic in 1962--as our Mission Program. (The Church Finance Clinic was conducted on July 20th at the Wagoner Church and was received by our people with very much interest and concern.)

3. We elected the Rev. Wm. E. Burchett as the Associational Sunday School Superintendent to fill the unexpired term of the Rev. Arnold Bell.

4. We appointed a Nominating Committee to work with the Associational Organizations in selecting their officers for the coming year. The committee is as follows:

Dewey Campbell, Chairman
Mrs. Myrtis Shoaf
Rev. Douglas Parsons

We make the following recommendations:

(1) We recommend the monthly plan of giving to our Associational Missions Program.

(2) We recommend the Cooperative Program as the plan to give to World Missions and recommend that our churches increase their Cooperative Program giving 35% above this years giving and further recommend that churches not giving this year through the Cooperative Program give 10% of the offering plate dollar next year through the Cooperative Program.

(3) We recommend to the churches entertaining the Association that they have the pictures of the church and pastor to the Clerk within two weeks after the meeting of the Association if they want the pictures included in the minutes.

Respectfully submitted,
G. C. Burkett, Chm.
Ashe Executive Committee

REPORT OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

(August 1, 1961 - August 1, 1962)

TYPE OF WORK DONE IN THE CHURCHES:	Number
Sermons preached	24
Sunday School Classes Taught	22
Church Study Courses Taught	14
Vacation Bible Schools Conducted	15
Vacation Bible Schools Promoted	8
Devotionals (Radio, S. S., BTU, Prayer Meetings)	20
Visual Aids Presented	13
Training Unions help Organize	3
Mission Studies Taught	5
Ordination of Deacons Services	2

ASSOCIATIONAL PROMOTIONAL EFFORTS:	Number of Meetings
Associational Officers' Training-Planning Meeting, W. Jefferson	1
Church Finance Clinics, Jefferson And Wagoner	2
S. S. Central Training School, W. Jefferson	4
Evangelistic Clinic, West Jefferson	1
"M" Night Program, West Jefferson	1
Carol Sing, Midway	1
Hymn Sings, Friendship and Friendly Grove	2
Preachers' School, West Jefferson	5
Baptist Youth Night, Warrensville	1
Vacation Bible School Clinic, W. Jefferson	1
Annual W. M. U. Meeting, W. Jefferson	1

OTHER EFFORTS USED TO PROMOTE THE WORK:

Conferences: Individual 451
Group 21
Committee 32

Mail Sent Out:
Letters-1657 from Office plus 261 by Volunteer help total 1918
Cards- 520
Reports etc. - 169
Bulletins-2, 760
Calendar of Activities-190

Miles Traveled In Promotion of the Work: 17, 540

WORK DONE ON MEETINGS ATTENDED OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION

	No. Of Days
Schools of Missions-Mitchell Association	6

Yadkin Association	6
Revival Eaton's Baptist Church, South Yadkin Association	8
Visitation Day, Children's Home, Thomasville	1
State Vacation Bible School Clinic, Wingate College	3
Brotherhood Convention, Charlotte	1
Hospital Representatives' Meeting, Winston Salem	1
State Evangelistic Conference, Greensboro	3
Annuity Workshop, Wilksboro	1
Associational Leadership Conference, Winston Salem	2
Christian Education Advance Program, Mars Hill College	1
Regional BTU Meeting, Fairplains Church, N. Wilksboro	1
Regional Brotherhood Convention, Elkin, First	1
Associational Missionaries' Conference, Mars Hill College	5

Respectfully submitted,
Audley B. Frazier, Missionary
Ashe-Alleghany Associations

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, the finance Committee of the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association, wish to submit the following suggested budget for the coming year, 1962 and 1963.

Associational Missionary:	
Salary	$1,375.00
Car Expenses	396.00
Retirement	172.00
Convention	86.00
Office Expenses	86.00
Associational Expenses:	
House payment	1,200.00
Fire Insurance	75.00
Training Union Expenses	25.00
Sunday School Expenses	25.00
Bible School Expenses	50.00
Music	50.00
Clerk's fee	50.00
Postage & Supplies	50.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Total Budget	$3,835.00

The above amount will be needed for our Mission work for the coming year. The past one has been very successful and the work has gone forward in many ways, for this and your continued support we are very grateful. Trusting this work will have your prayers, and your good will, as well as the much needed financial support.

Your Finance Committee,
R. C. Ashley, Chairman
Coleman Payne
Guy T. Shatley

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT 1961-1962

The Sunday School organization of the Ashe Association has held two Associational officers training and planinng meetings. In November we held Action Night and presented the program for the coming year. In addition to Action Night we held two other Associational meetings. October 16 - 19 we had a central training school, and April 20, Vacation Bible School Clinic at The First Baptist Church in West Jefferson.

This year forty churches have reported Vacation Bible Schools. One Negro Vacation Bible School reported.

The Sunday school is a Bible school. The Bible is the Sunday school teacher's fundamental textbook. It is the starting point, the foundation of all that the Sunday school seeks to contribute to the life of mankind. Its simple stories, its challenging precepts, its profoundest doctrines, all find a place in the scheme of instruction. And that because the church is conscious of its teaching mission and the world's need of what the Bible contains. Those who are lost need its message of redeeming grace. Those who are saved need its light and power. Without its guidance even the well-intentioned soul is unable to find and keep the true highway. Without its power the journeying Christian must meet the enemy in an unequal conflict.

The Bible is for many homes and hearts a lost book, and the Sunday school teachers are God's chosen men and women to re-discover and recover it for the boys and girls, young men and women, fathers and mothers of our generation.

Let us strive during the coming year to have a growing Sunday School in each church in our Association, so that we may be able to more effectively carry on the great work that God has given us to do.

Respectfully submitted,
W. E. Burchett.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

Your Training Union officers have met regularly twice per quarter for the past year. During this time we have organized five new unions as well as visited a number of other churches. The new unions are Laurel Knob, Bethel, North Beaver, Laurel Hill, and Mt. Olive. Also, Jimmy Morgan and two of his associate workers spent a week with us and gave instruction and information at our Pastors' School.

As a whole the interest in Training Union has been on the upward trend for the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
D. C. Severt
Associational Training Union
Director

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Ashe County Baptist Associational Brotherhood is made up of laymen and pastors in the Association. The sole purpose of the Brotherhood is to serve the churches, the association and the denomination.

We had two planning meetings during the Associational year, in September 1961 and March 1962 to plan the work of our men.

This year we feel we have made some progress in the work with our Baptist men. We have cooperated with the W. M. U. in the Association and sponsored two association-wide meetings for Baptist men and women.

Our Association was represented at the State Brotherhood Convention in Charlotte in October. Our officers also promoted the Regional Brotherhood Convention at the First Baptist Church in Elkin, N. C. on May 3rd. Eight of our pastors and laymen attended.

Our first association-wide meeting was conducted in January. The theme for the meeting was "The Cooperative Program" which is our World Mission Program. The Rev. E. C. Wilkie, a District Promotional Director of our Baptist State Convention of North Carolina was the guest speaker. Our people were very appreciative of the message.

The second association-wide meeting was conducted in July. The theme for the meeting was "Prayer". The Rev. W. E. Burchett, a pastor, was the speaker. Some time was devoted to a season of prayer. Much interest and concern for our work was felt in this meeting.

Some interest for Brotherhood work has been shown in at least two additional churches this year. It is our hope to be able to organize at least two Brotherhoods in the coming year. Any group of Baptist men desiring to organize a Brotherhood please feel free to call upon your officers for any help we may be able to give you.

Respectfully submitted,
Guy T. Shatley, President
Ashe Brotherhood

MUSIC COMMITTEE REPORT

The Church Music Ministry in our Association continues to make progress. We conducted two Hymn Sings this year - one at the Friendship Baptist Church and the other at the Friendly Grove Baptist Church. Also we had a Carol Sing at the Midway Baptist Church in December. In each of these Association-wide meetings several of our people attended and enjoyed the worship in music.

In addition to the three Association-wide meetings, we conducted two planning meetings to carry on the Church Music Ministry in our Association.

We have scheduled Group Music Schools for October 15-19, 1962. Mr. Joseph Stroud, Secretary of the Church Music Department of our Baptist State Convention, and two approved workers will be in the Association to help in the music schools. It is hoped that our people will attend school the most convenient to them.

In addition to the Group Music Schools, the music committee will be planning a Hymn Sing each quarter for the coming year. Churches desiring to have

the Hymn Sing are invited to contact the music committee to make arrangements for the Hymn Sing.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Audley Frazier,
Chairman
Music Committee

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Since I am a 1961 graduate of one of North Carolina's Baptist colleges, I am delighted that I should be chosen to give this report; however, I am sorry that I cannot be at the Association to let you witness my enthusiasm when I speak of "Wingate" college, and I am sure that students who have attended others of the seven colleges feel as I do.

In the fall of 1961, all seven colleges opened with their largest enrollments; 8,447 being the total enrollment for all seven.

Of this number, approximately 2/3 were members of a Baptist Church. About one out of eight was preparing for the ministry or some church-related vocation.

Not only are the Baptist colleges constituting our denominational leadership for tomorrow, they are also preparing laymen for useful occupations while at the same time developing within these occupational groups a sense of responsibility leadership, and cooperation.

The past academic year marked many physical improvements on the campuses of our Baptist colleges.

Early graduates of these institutions scarcely recognize "that old campus." The total plant assets of these colleges are in excess of $45,000,000. For the past ten years, Baptist have provided about $500,000 each year to help with these capital needs.

The total operating budget of the seven colleges during the year was $12,000,000. Of this amount, the Cooperative Program paid about 5%

The past year has also seen a strengthening of faculties. Salaries have been raised to attract the finest and best qualified teachers. Too, additional faculty members have been added to meet the demand of the growing student bodies.

Campbell College is adding the senior year this fall and Mars Hill the junior year. Wake Forest has made a modest beginning in offering graduate degrees in some fields.

Through the Christian Advance Program set forth by the Convention, each church is asked to increase its gifts through the Cooperative Program to 35% for 1962, '63, '64.

On each campus is a qualified director of religious activities. Opportunities are provided daily for worship.

The Baptist colleges of North Carolina need your support. You can help by acquainting yourself with the vast amount of good they are doing and then procede to help through your prayers and financial gifts.

Respectfully submitted,
Polly Phipps

REPORT ON STATE, HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

We believe that the Missionary Baptist Church is a New Testament Church: therefore we believe that we should take seriously the Great Commission of Jesus when he said, "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world." Matt. 28:19, 20.

According to the 1961 Minutes, 55 of our 61 churches gave to some denominational cause outside the local church. Thirty-four gave through the Cooperative Program to Worldwide Missions. Thirteen of our churches gave a designated offering to State Missions. Thirteen of our churches gave a designated offering to Foreign Missions. Fourteen of our churches gave a designated offering to Home Missions.

The Churches giving through the Cooperative Program gave in 1961 $5,258.66 as compared to $4,565.33 in 1960. Churches that gave a designated offering to State Missions in 1961 gave $384.21 compared to $539.99 in 1960. Churches that gave a designated Home Missions offering in 1961 gave $905.85 as compared to $563.54 in 1960. Churches that gave a designated Foreign Missions Offering in 1961 gave $1,651.49 as compared to $1,416.79 in 1960. In 1961 our churches gave a total of $17,152.35 as compared to $14,666.79 in 1960 to all our denominational causes. With these various comparisons we can see that we increased in our Cooperative Program, Home and Foreign Missions Offerings but decreased in designated State Missions Offering. Also we made a nice increase in our total giving to denominational causes.

May we see the need in the coming year to support all of our mission causes. It would be ideal if all of our churches could see the need to give generously to all our Baptist causes and give regularly through the Cooperative Program which undergirds all of our Baptist causes around the world.

Respectfully submitted,
W. E. Denny

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS

We are living in a day when public morals are at an all time low. We have only to read the newspapers, turn on the television, look at the billboards along the highways or listen to the conversation round about us to realize how far down the hill in decent Christian living our nation and the world has fallen. There was a time when alcoholic beverages was our major concern but times have changed until not only is liquor our arch enemy but narcotics, sex and self indulgence in vice and crime have taken leading rolls. The Apostle Paul said, "For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places." (Eph. 6: 12). He who professes to know God, but is not engaged in this conflict is deceiving his own heart. It's time we as christian

leaders realized that we are at war with satan's mightiest forces and that we have a job to do.

The christian life is not a vacation but a vocation. We have not been called to retirement but to conflict. We are not spectators but soldiers.

The christian life is a personal conflict. "We wrestle." We are not nursemaids but soldiers of the Cross. We cannot wear our uniform just on Sunday. We must come to grips with organized crime and wickedness daily if our young people of today rise above the moral laxity of this day.

Sad to say, but we are in another conflict, "flesh and blood." Denominations fight one another, churches are against one another and pastors against pastors. Is it any wonder that the world has lost faith in christianity? We are neglecting prayer and the power of the Holy Spirit and inducting into our evangelistic efforts a promotional program, entertainment, names and organizations. We blow a lot of trumpets but the walls of Jericho remain standing. Instead of feeding our people with God's word and giving them a better way of life we succeed only in tickling them to death with some of our shenanigens in the pulpit, while the morals of our people drop lower and lower with each report and spiritual wickedness reaches from the gutters of skid row to presidential suites and royal palaces.

As Soldiers of the cross we have failed God and the world through not applying our teachings and doctrines to our own personal life. As christian leaders we are under authority from God from whom we get all our orders. I believe those orders of the day are -- CHRISTIANS AWAKE -- PUT ON THE WHOLE ARMOR OF GOD. WE ARE STILL MORE THAN CONQUERORS THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. H. M. Winkler

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Your Chairman on Evangelism is glad to report a good Evangelistic Clinic last Fall.

There has been 59 Revivals reported this year and 250 baptisms. However, it is with heavy heart that we must report to you that 21 of our churches reported no baptisms. Six of our churches made no report of any revival at all.

Someone has said "The fruit of a Christian is another Christian." Jesus said, "Come follow Me and I will make you fishers of men." He also commanded that we should go and seek out the lost people and bring them into right fellowship with Him and His church. The first Christians went everywhere evangelizing and winning the lost to Christ. The Scriptures teach that "He that winneth souls is wise." Dr. Julian S. Hopkins our State Secretary of Evangelism who is doing a good job is calling upon each Association, Church membership and Pastors in our State to adopt a real wide awake "Thus Saith The Lord" program of Evangelism.

May God send us back to our churches with a burning Christ-like compassion for the poor lost sinners in our County, with Bible methods to reach them for Christ and His Church program.

Respectfully submitted,
W. T. Brackett

REPORT ON PASTORS' SALARIES AND MINISTERS' RETIREMENT

A short survey of the 1961 minutes of the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association reveals that our 61 churches paid their pastors $35,057.60 for their support during the 1960-61 associational year. This averages $574.71 per church or $8.76 per resident member. This is less than 17 cents per week per resident member of our churches.

Let us relate our Pastor's Support and our missionary giving to each other. The same check revealed that the churches which make some effort to support the work of Christ's Kingdom through our Baptist Co-operative Program averaged $786.00 per church per year for Pastor's Salary or some $10.43 per resident member. This averages a little more than 20 cents per resident member per week. The same investigation showed that the churches which give through our special offerings, but do not give anything through the Co-operative Program, averaged $378.53 per year salary or $6.52 per resident member per year. This is about 12 and one half cents per resident member per week. Or again, we have a few churches that give nothing outside their front doors (look after the home base first) for Kingdom work. Let us see how well they look after home base. They averaged $20.08 per year Pastor's Support, or, $1.65 per member. This is less than the price of a postage stamp per member per week from these churches!

These figures tell us three things: (1) If our pastors are "to live of the gospel (See I Cor. 9:14)" they are going to have to be missionary through and through. (2) The Co-operative Program is our best friend in Pastor's Support, as well as missionary support, and (3) A church that will not support missions will not support its own pastor. This is plain talk, but it is true.

Now a word about our Retirement System. Let us remember that it is not a salary supplement for the pastor; it is not Ministerial Relief (God forgive us that term!); it is not missions in the commonly understood meaning of the term. It is exactly what its name implies, "protection." It is protection for both the church and the pastor --- for the church, lest it find itself supporting two pastors, its current pastor and a former one who has become disabled while on the field. Either the church must "take care of its own" or do less than many companies in the secular, non-religious, world do today.

It is also protection for the pastor. He can face the "golden years" with some degree of confidence, knowing that his people and his denomination have, in co-operation with him, made some provision for his support. This means that his retirement support is being provided by those who benefit most from his services, not by those who hardly know him. It also means that each church he serves has a part in this provision. Many churches provide all of the retirement cost thereby leaving the minister free to make any supplementary provision he may desire through his own means. The writer is grateful to the church he serves for this generosity.

In its April 1962 meeting the Annuity Board waived the penalty for delayed participation in the Southern Baptist Protection Plan for those who join before January 1963. If your pastor is not in the plan at present you owe it to him, to yourself and to the work of the Kingdom of Christ to go home and lead your church to become a participating church in one of the retirement plans of our Annuity

Board. (Note: I have not gone into detail regarding these plans here, but information is readily available for both pastors and churches.)

Respectfully submitted,
R. R. Campbell

THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation was authorized by the Baptist State Convention in 1919. The Board of Directors organized for business in 1920. From the period of the organization until the present, the Baptist Foundation has had a rather irregular promotion.

The Committee of 25 recommended to the State Convention in 1959 that the Baptist Foundation be fully staffed and activated. It requested the Convention to adopt a budget providing for a full-time executive secretary, with the necessary travel, office expenses, etc. It was not until July 1 of this year that a full-time executive secretary was employed. For the past few months, Mr. Peyton J. Brown has served as Interim Director, without remuneration. The total assets of the Foundation as of June 30, 1959, were $245,131.32. The total assets as of June 30, 1962, were $303,186.66. In these past three years our total assets have gained $58,055.54. This gain has largely been due to the Interim Director and our present chairman of the Board of Trustees, Mr. Brown.

What is the Baptist Foundation? The North Carolina Baptist Foundation is an incorporated agency of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. It was created by the Convention for the purpose of procuring endowment funds and for administering said funds for all institutions and agencies owned and controlled by the Convention. It is independent of the cause it serves, but committed to its best interests. It is not a competitive agency, but a service agency dedicated to the task of undergirding all our Baptist work.

Funds usually come to the Foundation through one of five channels:

(a) Through a CHRISTIAN WILL. In his will a person leaves all or part of his estate with the Foundation for some Baptist cause. Of course, the Foundation then receives its share when the estate is settled.

(b) Through a LIVING TRUST. A person makes a donation to the Foundation while he is living. The Foundation then administers the fund and directs the income to the Baptist agency of his choice. This allows the donor to see his gift at work.

(c) Through a MEMORIAL TRUST. A person makes a gift to the Foundation in memory of a loved one and instructs the Foundation to place the income from it to one or more Baptist agencies.

(d) Through a LIFE INCOME TRUST. A person makes a gift to the Foundation and specifies a Baptist agency as beneficiary, but requests the income for himself as long as he lives. This permits him to receive the earnings to the end of his life and to know the beneficiary of his charity after his death.

(e) Through LIFE INSURANCE. A person takes out a policy in some amount

in the name of the Foundation and designates the Baptist cause as irrevocable beneficiary. The premium he pays is then tax free as a charitable gift.

Respectfully submitted,
R. R. Campbell

REPORT ON PASTORS' CONFERENCE

The Ashe Baptist Pastors' conference has met regularly the past year on the Saturdays before the fourth Sunday with a few exceptions, with an average attendance.

Some very interesting meetings have been held and they have been enjoyed by those who have attended.

The Pastors' conference is one of the most important meetings of the Association. Since the work is based on voluntary cooperation, the success of our Association depends largely on the cooperation of the Pastors of the churches.

Respectfully submitted,
John F. Goodman, Secretary

REPORT ON BAPTIST HOSPITAL

The services of our Baptist Hospital are subject to heavy demands which grow heavier year by year. Last year the already overcrowded clinics of the Out-Patient Department received a new high of 83,000 visits from 96 counties of the state, sixteen other states, and two foreign countries. Two-thirds of these were by our Baptist people.

One of the most pressing needs is the enlargement of the facilities of the Out-Patient Department. Along with this is the urgent need for a building to provide adequate and unified facilities for the Hospital's eight schools for the training of skilled nurses, technicians, and other medical personnel, all of whom are in short supply and are essential to good medical care in our local hospitals and communities.

The new Progressive Care Center is attracting the attention of hospital authorities over the country. Patients have been most pleased with it. The trustees and administration greatly regret that the Hospital does not have sufficient funds to permit the admission of Service Patients to this fine facility.

The Pastors Library now contains well over 100 volumes among the best books in various fields of Christian thought and pastoral work . It can be of great value to pastors and they are invited to use it. It is located in the Medical School Library.

The care of Service Patients remains at the heart of the work of the Baptist Hospital. In cases where help will be needed on the hospital bill, it is extremely

important that this be made known in advance and the arrangements be made when the patient is admitted to the Hospital. When appointments are requested for examinations it is necessary to let the Hospital know if the person needs to come through the Clinic, or if he will come as a private or full-pay patient. If a doctor is making the arrangements for a patient he should be told to make clear when he calls or writes if it is a Service or Clinic Patient. Mother's Day money cannot be used for Private Patients.

The Mother's Day Fund is the foundation of the financial aid given Service Patients. The Hospital tries to help the most needy cases as much as possible, but the funds have not been sufficient to give as much as is needed in many cases. In other cases of real need it has not been able to give any help, except the free services of the doctors and reduced rates on other items, such as X-rays, which consideration is given all Service Patients. WE MUST REMEMBER THAT THE HELP GIVEN IS LIMITED BY THE MOTHER'S DAY GIFTS OF OUR CHURCHES.

The Hospital has prepared a full and attractive Information File Folder covering all of these matters in our relations with the Hospital. A copy is being mailed to all our pastors and associational missionaries. We urge you to acquaint yourself with this, keep it in your file and refer to it when questions arise and when arrangements are being made for patients to go to the Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. Gentry
Hospital Representative

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Be it resolved by the Ashe Baptist Association, assembled in its seventy-sixth annual session:

1. That we extend our thanks to the Warrensville and Friendly Grove Baptist Churches for their generous Christian hospitality in entertaining the association.

2. That we also thank the Lansing Boy Scout Troop No. 272 and the Smethport Boy Scout Troop No. 294 for their help in directing traffic and providing ice water for the refreshment of our people on the first day of the association.

3. That we express our appreciation to our associational leaders for the well-planned and well presented program for this session.

4. That we thank our speakers for their splendid messages to the association, especially those who traveled great distances to be with us.

5. That we pledge our prayers to our officers and committees during the coming year as they lead us in a constructive program of work for our Saviour.

6. That we commend the Co-operative Program to our people as a channel of support for Kingdom causes through our denomination.

Respectfully Submitted
Frank Tucker
Moody Hale
R. R. Campbell

REPORT ON HOMES FOR AGING

The Baptist people of Ashe County and North Carolina have cause to be justly proud and humbly thankful for the four wonderful homes they have been blessed to provide for some of the aged people of our state. Namely; Rest Haven and Hayes Homes in Winston Salem and Albemarle Home in Albemarle and Hamiliton at Hamiliton, N. C. in Martin County. The latter one being the last to be built and opened during the past year. This home is in the eastern part of the state and is a blessing to aged people near their homes.

We have made wonderful advancement in this field of service; but let us not stop and rest on our laurels here, but under the leadership of the Holy Spirit go forward in a greater way so we may be a blessing to our aged brothers and sisters as they approach the sunset of life.

Let us remember the cry of one of old as he cried out, "Forsake me not" or "Cast me not off in time of old age nor forsake me not when my strength faileth." Psalm 71:9

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. F. L. Waddell

W. M. U. REPORT

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Ashe Association has advanced through united efforts, but the advance has not been as great as we would like to see.

Our state plan for reporting has been so new, and different this year that we have been unable to get information enough to make a complete and accurate statistical report at this time. However, some reports give evidence that we have not fallen short of any previous year in the major aspects of our work.

We have three new young people's organizations this year. We have two churches that are now laying the foundation for a W. M. S.

Yes, we have advanced but we have not met the challenge. Let us go on with Jesus as our leader to do the best we can with what we have, where we are for Jesus' sake.

Our annual meeting which was held with the West Jefferson Church was wonderful. We had with us our State Sunbeam Director, Miss Delois Hamrick and Mrs. Herbert K. Middleton, Missionary to Chili. They stirred the hearts of all of us as they spoke of the urgency of our task at home and afar.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Ralph C. Parsons

REPORT ON BAPTIST CHILDRENS HOMES

I am grateful for the people who through love and care are mindful of children who have been deprived of the privilege of home care, and have found it necessary to live away from their homes. These children have lost their parents through different ways. I cannot express my grateful heart and thanksgiving for the wonderful work which is being done at our Baptist Children's Homes in North Carolina.

We have three homes in North Carolina, Kenndy Home at Kinston, Odum Home at Pembroke and Mills Home at Thomasville.

We have 848 boys and girls who were cared for in 1962.

It costs about $80 per year for clothing for each child, 87¢ per day for food, 12¢ per day for medical care, 19¢ per day for education and 06¢ for recreation.

If there be any recognition for the good deeds surely God's approval is upon our Children's Homes.

Let us as Baptist people of the Ashe Association not fail to give to this great institution. The Lord said in Acts 20:35 "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

May God bless this great institution and the people who are responsible for caring for the children who cannot help themselves.

Let's make it possible for them by giving.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Roe Paisley

In Memoriam

APPLE GROVE: Mrs. Cora Hart, Mrs. Ettie Miller
BIG FLATS: Mr. Grady Jordan, Mr. Clyde Trivette, Mr. Clyde Stykes
BLUE RIDGE: Mr. Joe Spears
BRISTOL: Mr. Emmett Wallace, Mrs. Ellen Johnson, Mr. Wiley Mullis
BUFFALO: Mrs. Ida Hodgson
CHESTNUT HILL: Deacon Robert J. Gambill
CLIFTON: Mr. Roy Jones, Mr. Calvin Pennington, Mr. Carl Eastridge
FRIENDSHIP: Mr. Dorse P. Hartsoe, Mrs. Ennice Dixon
GRASSY CREEK: Mr. Donald Denny
HEALING SPRINGS: Deacon A. J. Blevins, Mrs. Cynthia Baker
JEFFERSON: Mr. David Burkett
LANDMARK: Mrs. Sarah Ann Blevins, Mr. Wiley T. Faw, Mr. Glenn Barker, Mrs. Pearl Barker
LAUREL KNOB: Mrs. Lou Edwards, Mr. Albert Parsons
LITTLE HELTON: Deacon Vincent McClure
LONG BRANCH" Mrs. Mary A. Miller
NEW RIVER: Mrs. Martha Brown
OBIDS: Mrs. Ellen McNeill, Mr. Milligan Faw
OLD FIELDS: Mrs. Mary Jane Blackburn, Mr. R. E. Phillips, Mrs. Hazel Hartzog
ORION: Mr. Jesse Franklin Dillard (Church Clerk since 1911--last charter member)
PHOENIX: Mrs. Beulah Eller, Mr. Richard Mullis, Mr. Roger King
PLEASANT BRANCH: Mrs. Izora Kilby Shepherd, Miss Patsy Lou Reedy
PLEASANT CHAPEL: Deacon Avery Elliott
PLEASANT VALLEY: Mrs. Bertha Phipps, Mr. Worth Phipps, Mrs. Francis Pierce
ROCK CREEK: Mrs. Emma Osborne, Mrs. Effie Mahala
THREE FORKS: Deacon Robert Allen, Mr. Lafayette Lewis
VALLEY HOME: Mrs. Zora B. Church
WAGONER: Deacon Charles Dishman
WEST JEFFERSON: Mr. Carl F. Colvard

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Personal Donations Missionary Home	$ 518.00
Churches Directly	191.39
Minute Fund	390.50
Rec. Church's Pledges	2900.00
	$3999.89
Bal. Treas.	8.86
	$4008.75

Ashe Share Missionary	$2070.00
Missionary Home (Interest $732.73; Prin. $567.27)	1200.00
Insurance on Home	81.84
Misc. Items Missionary Home	75.00
Minutes	374.39
Bible School	50.00
Sunday School	25.00
Misc. Expenditures	95.08
Bal In Treas.	37.44
Total	$4008.75

ASHE-ALLEGHANY

Bal. in Treas.	5.64
State Board	1800.00
Alleghany	924.00
Ashe	2070.00
	$4799.64

Salary	3200.00
Travel	900.00
Annuity	433.42
Convention	50.00
Postage	200.00
Bal. in Treas.	16.32
	$4799.64

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Clerk Address

Moderator Address

	CHURCHES	Location R-T-V-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS 4 Baptisms	GAINS 5 Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES 6 Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL 7 Resident Members	TOTAL 8 Non-resident Members	TOTAL 9 Grand Total Present Members	10 Revival Meetings Held	SPECIAL INFORMATION 11 Number Tithers	12 Church Have Unified Budget?	13 Farmward Program Materials Used	14 State Paper In Budget?	15 No. Missions started this year	16 No. Local Missions Operated by Church	17 Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor for full year or not)
		1	2	3															
1	Apple Grove	R	1889	3	Ted Davis, Rt. 3, Lansing, N. C.			2	36	13	49	1		N	N	N			125
2	Bald Mountain	R		1-4	R.C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.	6	5	3	84	81	165	1		Y	N	N			480
3	Baptist Home	R	1890	3	Al Hill, 12 Exum St., Johnsn. City, Tenn.				19	51	70	1	2	N	N	N			82
4	Beaver Creek	R	1890		J. Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson	26	14	3	103	24	127	2		N	N	N			526
5	Bethel	R		1-3	Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.	8	2		84	34	118	1		N	N	N			
6	Big Flats	R	1905	1-3	Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.			6	51	65	116	0	3	N	N	N			400
7	Big Laurel	R	1880	1	Jesse Denny, Grayson, N. C.		1		13	18	31	3		N	N	N			225
8	Blue Ridge	R	1887	2	Gilbert Osborne, N. Wilkesboro, N. C.			3	35	46	81	1		N	N	N			286
9	Bristol	R	1888	2-4	Billy Joe Dixon, Rt. 2, Marion, Va.	2	13	7	111	72	193	2	3	Y	N	N			600
10	Buffalo	R	1869	2-4	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.	4	1	1	99	17	116	1		Y		N			671
11	Calvary	V	1960	2-4				3	14	2	16	1		Y		N			120
12	Chestnut Hill	R	1928	2-	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson, N. C.			2	15	55	70	0	0	Y		N			278
13	Clifton	R	1891	1-3	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.	15	2	4	56	61	130	1		N		N			406
14	Fairview	R	1940	1-3	Bill Blackburn, Grassy Creek, N. C.	11	2		21	29	50			N		N			
15	Farmer Memoral	R		2	Ted Davis, Whitetop, Va.	3	1												
16	Franklin	R	1932	All	Walter G. Powers, Darlington, Md.		1	2	125	42	167			N	N	N			1127
17	Friendly Grove	R	1945		W. T. Brackett, West Jefferson, N. C.	5		3	127	51	178	1	25	Y	N	Y			1800
18	Friendship	R	1880		G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.	4		1	175	30	205	1		Y	N	N			1300
19	Glendale	R	1914		Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.	6	4		66	55	121	2		N		N			500
20	Grassy Creek	R			Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.	3	3	3	94	60	154	2	12						1260
21	Healing Springs	R			Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.	10	4	5	162	95	257	1		Y	N	N			1490
22	Jefferson	T	1953	All	W. T. Whittington, Jefferson, N. C.	3	6	7	75		75	1	8	Y					2236
23	Landmark	R	1856	2-4	B. L. Hash, Marion, Va.		2	8	73	159	232	2	3	N	N	N			1022
24	Laurel Hill	R	1948	4	W. M. Setton, Lansing, N. C.			8	34	7	41			N	N	N			90
25	Laurel Knob	R			G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.	2		5	58	92	150	1		Y	N	N			960
26	Liberty Grove	R		2-4	John Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.	5		3	58	9	67	3		Y	N	N			580
27	Liberty Hill	R		2	Bill Rose, West Jefferson				12					N		N			150
28	Little Helton	R	1923		Douglas Parsons, Todd, N. C.	3	5	2	88	59	127	2	1						490
29	Long Branch	R	1889	1-3	Paul Phipps, Crumpler, N. C.	13	2	1	51	65	129	1		N	N	N			650
30	Midway	R	1953		William E. Burchett, West Jefferson	7		11	93	19	112	1		Y	N	N			2080

TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

ASSOCIATION Ashe Baptist State

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Clerk Address

Moderator Address

	CHURCHES	Location R-T-V-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS 4 Baptisms	GAINS 5 Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES 6 Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL 7 Resident Members	TOTAL 8 Non-resident Members	TOTAL 9 Grand Total Present Members	10 Revival Meetings Held	SPECIAL INFORMATION 11 Number Tithers	12 Church Have Unified Budget?	13 Forward Program Materials Used	14 State Paper in Budget?	15 No. Missions started this year	16 No. Local Missions Operated by Church	17 Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor for full year or not)
		1	2	3															
31	Mission Home	R			R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.		1	1	68	52	120	0	18	Y	N	N			1200
32	Mt. Olive	R	1941	1-2	J. Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson, N.C.	1			56	26	82	1							311
33	Mountain View	R	1898	3	John Davis, Grassy Creek, N. C.	2		2	33	54	87	1		N	N	N			
34	New River	R	1885	3	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	5	3	4	143	75	218	1	2	N	N	N			482
35	North Beaver	R	1943	1-3	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson, N. C.		1	1	44	30	74	1		N	N	N			214
36	Oak Hill	R	1927	4	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	4		3	48	35	83			N	N	N			225
37	Obids	R			Wm. E. Burchett, West Jefferson	1		4	91	37	128	1	10	Y	N	N			1664
38	Old Fields	R			A. E. Sells, Fleetwood, N. C.		7	5	46	51	97	1			N	N			345
39	Orion	R	1911	1-3		2	3	5	96	24	120	1		Y	N	N			507
40	Peak Valley	R		3-4	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.	4	3					1							250
41	Phoenix	R	1908	2-4	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.	1	2	7	48	82	130	1	6	Y	N	N			650
42	Pilot Mountain	R	1806	3-4	J. Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson, N.C.	2	3	5	72	46	118	2	10	N		N			480
43	Pine Mountain																		
44	Pine Swamp	R	1948	1-3	Earl C. Hartzog, West Jefferson, N.C.	4	5	1	41	2	43	3		N	N	N			225
45	Pleasant Branch	R		1	Lee Waddell, Grassy Creek, N. C.		2	2	28	6	34	1		N	N	N			200
46	Pleasant Chapel	R	1941	3	Roe Pasley, Crumpler, N. C.	3		3	55	24	82	1		N	N	N			
47	Pleasant Home	R		2-4	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	1	2	2	70	38	108	1		N	N	N			300
48	Pleasant Valley	R		1-3	Walter Day, West Jefferson, N. C.	1		3	58	36	94	1		N	N	N			263
49	Prosperity																		
50	Rock Creek	R		1	Finley Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.	5		4	20	22	52			N	N	N			120
51	Round Knob	R	1940	3	E. Z. Sexton, Jefferson, N. C.	1		2	65	10	75	1		N	N	N			140
52	Sabbath Home	R	1931	1-3	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	9		1	70	27	97	1		N	N	N			247
53	Smethport	V	1923	2-4	Walter Day, West Jefferson, N. C.	4			38			2	2						
54	Sturgills	R		2-4	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.	5	4		47	51	98	1	0	N	N	N			160
55	Three Forks	R	1835	2-4	Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.	5	1	2	46	48	94	2		Y	N	N			344
56	Tuckerdale	R	1915	2-4	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	23	2	3	111	57	168	1		Y	N	N			600
57	Valley Home	R		2	Noah Johnson, Todd, N. C.	2	1	3	43	8	51	2		N	N	N			
58	Wagoner	R	1949		A. E. Sells, Fleetwood, N. C.		5	7	72	24	96	1		N	N	N			600
59	Warrensville	V		All	W. P. Shiflett, Warrensville, N. C.	7	3	3	99	37	136	1	30	Y	N	N			3444
60	Welcome Home	R	1935	1	Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.	13	2		75	8	98	1		N	N	N			600
61	West Jefferson	T	1916	All	R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N.C.	13	12	1	327	83	410	1	80	Y	N	N			4500
					Totals	254	129	167	4042	2304	6346								38005

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATION Ashe Bapt. Asso. State

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Sup't.

Address

	CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUP'TS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																					
			41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
			Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Young People, Away	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65-up)	Extension Department	General Officers	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Church V.B.S. Enr.	Mission V.B.S. Enr.	Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	January Bible Study? Yes or no	Preparation Week? (Yes or no)
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk, N. C.			17			10					8	2				37	22				No	No
2	Bald Mountain	Dwight Houck, Rt. 1, West Jefferson			15	20	15	12				38						100	65			48	No	No
3	Baptist Home	Robert N. Lewis, Creston, N. C.			4	3	5	3	4			6	2					27					No	No
4	Beaver Creek	J. E. Owen, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.			31	10	20	11	3	22			20			1		118	83			74	No	No
5	Bethel	Arvil Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jeff.			12	11	10	12	10				34					89	53			20	No	No
6	Big Flats	H. V. Walker, Rt. 2, West Jeff.	4		2	1	3	12	13				25			6		66	37			19	No	No
7	Big Laurel	Mattie Rupard, Rt. 1, Grayson, N. C.																21				21	No	No
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, West Jeff., N. C.			2				8				20					30	22				No	No
9	Bristol	Ralph Testerman, Jefferson, N. C.		1	12	12	14	14	10	6	5	22	4	8		10		125	46			49	No	No
10	Buffalo	Raymond Riddle, Rt. 1, West Jeff.			17	10	15	20				40				14		102	74			146	No	No
11	Calvary	Mrs. Fern Mullis, West Jefferson			12	15	10	8					12			4		60	40			37	No	No
12	Chestnut Hill	Mrs. Edd Cox, Crumpler, N. C.		3		12		15	8	4		10	16					68	40				No	No
13	Clifton	Joseph Eastridge, Warrensv., N. C.			6	6	10	8				12						50	40				No	No
14	Fairview																							
15	Farmer Memoral																							
16	Franklin	William Patrick, Rt. 2 Darlgtn. Md.			15	13	15	22					53					118	77				No	No
17	Friendly Grove	Marvin E. Osborne, West Jeff.		14	7	6	22	18	15			56	25		9	4		176	94			73	Yes	Yes
18	Friendship	Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.			8	10	11	13	6	5		16	52			5		139	72			50	Yes	No
19	Glendale	Hilt Severt, Glendale Spgs., N. C.	4	5	15		10		6	21			20			6		90	70			42	No	No
20	Grassy Creek	Dewey Cox, Grassy Creek, N. C.			24	16	10	14	6			11	15	10				106	87			35	No	No
21	Healing Springs	Richard Neaves, Grassy Creek, N. C.				12	14	10	19				97					152	94			44	No	No
22	Jefferson	Bill Ballou, Jefferson, N. C.			9	8	11	8	10				10	10				66				49	Yes	No
23	Landmark	June Blackburn, Rt. 2, Lans., N. C.			4	9	10		20		10	5	15					84	45			49	No	No
24	Laurel Hill	Oscar Richardson, Rugby, Va.		3	3	4	12	5	1	4	2	4	16	4		4		62	20			34	Yes	No
25	Laurel Knob	Joe Edwards, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.			4	6	7	7					14					38				36	No	No
26	Liberty Grove	W. C. Richardson, Fleetwood, N. C.				3			8			26		4				41				11	Yes	No
27	Liberty Hill																							
28	Little Helton	Gilbert Waddell, Grassy Creek, N. C.					15		11	9		24						74	35			24	Yes	No
29	Long Branch	Glen Eldreth, Lansing, N. C.			6	7	10	10				10						43	35			65	No	No
30	Midway	Jack Miller, West Jeff., N. C.			6	5	9	8	9			16	17			9		150	70			67	No	No

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			41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
			Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Young People, Away	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65-up)	Extension Department	General Officers	Mission Sunday School Enrolment	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Church V.B.S. Enr.	Mission V.B.S. Enr.	Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	January Bible Study? Yes or no	Preparation Week? (Yes or no)
31	Mission Home	Tommy Hardin, Rt. 2, West Jeff.			2	12	12	11		20			20					78	50			67	Yes	No
32	Mt. Olive	Jack Surber, Todd, N. C.		3	3	5	8	9	9	4	1	5	14	1	7			69	38			35		
33	Mountain View																							
34	New River	R. D. Brown, Crumpler, N. C.			17	8	25	22				23	24			15		134	93			50	No	No
35	North Beaver	Mrs. Jim McNeill, R. 2, W. Jeff.		4	4	3	8	10	12			11	15					67	38				No	No
36	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing		5	8	5	11	12				17				7		65	40			47	No	No
37	Obids	Mrs. Glen South, Rt. 2, West Jeff.	1			6	6	12					15			3		43	20			39	Yes	No
38	Old Fields	Clark Church, Deep Gap, N. C.		1	9	5	8	17	12				42			3		95	62			32	No	No
39	Orion	Wiley Lambert, Jefferson, N. C.		1	5		4	4	8			7	10			6		45	40			61	No	No
40	Peak Valley	Glen McCoy, Creston, N. C.			1	2	4		2		1		10					23	17					
41	Phoenix	F. L. Barker Jr., West Jeff., N. C.	C.	6	6	10	6	10	8	14			28			9		98	63			45	Yes	No
42	Pilot Mountain	Lyle J. Vannoy, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.				10	14					16	20					70	55			40	No	No
43	Pine Mountain																							
44	Pine Swamp	Howard Blackburn, Rt. 2, West Jeff.	3			6	6	8	10				27					60	40			30	No	No
45	Pleasant Branch	Florence Young, Rugby, Va.																47	32			32	No	No
46	Pleasant Chapel																							
47	Pleasant Home	Arthur F. Palsey Jr., Rt. 2, Gr. Crk.		4	3	2	4	8	4	2	2	20	7			10		66	42			33	Yes	No
48	Pleasant Valley	Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek, N. C.			8		8	8				14				6		44	22			9	No	No
49	Prosperity																							
50	Rock Creek	Gorden Roark, Rt. 1, Creston, N. C.		11	5	4	14	7	3	9	2	6	16	12		5		86	58			111	No	No
51	Round Knob	Clifford Smith, Fleetwood, N. C.			21		13					23						57					No	No
52	Sabbath Home																							
53	Smethport	Lillard Turner, West Jeff., N. C.																				30		
54	Stungills	Paul Weaver, Lansing, N. C.			6	8	4	25				20						63	40				No	No
55	Three Forks	Geter Roten, Creston, N. C.				20	7	9					33					73	39			48	No	No
56	Tuckerdale	Ora Sullivan, Rt. 3, Lansing, N. C.				16	12	16	14	25			31			10		124	75			110	No	No
57	Valley Home	Herman Greek, Todd, N. C.		3	3	3	4	2					10		6			32	26				No	No
58	Wagoner	C. B. Colvard, Rt. 1, Jefferson, N. C.	5	5	5	5	12	9	5	4		8	10	8		8		80	50			59	Yes	No
59	Warrensville	John M. Burkett, Warrensville, N. C.			4	7	10	5	14			8	29					69	40			48	No	No
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. Coy Goodman, Crumpler, N. C.			10	8	12	16				25						71	52			35	No	No
61	West Jefferson	Wade E. Vannoy Sr., West Jeff.		30	20	53	47	29	16	13		45	100		10	7		370	180			178	Yes	Yes
		Totals	17	89	371	397	517	492	284	162	22	544	936	59	32	152		4261	2433			2132		

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe Bapt. Asso State

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Director

Address

	CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT														
			63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77
			Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Adults (25-34)	Adults (35-64)	Adults (65-over)	General Officers	Mission Enrolment	Grand Total Training Union Enrolment	Average Attendance	Observe Youth Week? (Yes or no)
1	Bald Mountain	John W. Stevens, Rt. 1, West Jefferson		10	8	12	9			12					51	30	No
2	Beaver Creek	William Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd, N.C.			20	20		22	20	24		3	1		110	75	No
3	Bethal	Shirley Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson				9	8	10			12				39	22	No
4	Big Flats	Walter Parsons, Deep Gap, N.C.	4		1	2	6	21			14		5		53	28	No
5	Bristol	Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson, N.C.		4		4	8	8		15			2		41	26	No
6	Franklin	Charlie Blackguan, Darlington, Md.		6		9		15		30			8		68	50	Yes
7	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Lois Severt, West Jefferson, N.C.		4	5	7	5	4	8	18					51	36	No
8	Friendship	Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N.C.			3	5	4	5			12		3		37	32	No
9	Laurel Hill				5	10	5			4	13		5		42	20	No
10	Laurel Knob	Walter Baldwin, West Jefferson, N.C.													21		
11	Little Helton	Wilford Porter, Grassy Creek, N.C.		2	2	8	14			19			8		45	22	No
12	Midway	Mrs. Howard Jones, West Jefferson N.C.		5		7		6		12	10		2		42	40	No
13	Mission Home	Mrs. Mary Hardin, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	2		6	4				12	7	2	3		36	20	No
14	Old Fields	Ford Cheek, Deep Gap, N.C.			4	7	12	6			12		2		43	24	No
15	Orion	Bobby Lambert, Jefferson, N.C.			10	11					12		9		42		
16	Warrensville	William F. Eller, West Jefferson, N.C.			8	6		6			16				36	28	No
17	West Jefferson	HoyleStringer, West Jefferson, N.C.		7	12	17	12	5		19	13		2		87	41	No
		Totals	6	38	84	138	83	108	28	165	121	5	50		844	494	

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

ASSOCIATION Ashe Bapt. Asso. State

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Brotherhood Pres.

Address

	CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	Chrm. R. A. Committee and Addresses	33A No. Crusader Chapters	33B Crusaders (9-11 yrs.) Enrolment	34A No. Pioneer Chapters	34B Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrolment	35A No. Ambassador Chapters	35B Ambassadors (15-17 yrs.) Enrolment	36B Total R.A. Enrolment	37B Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	38B Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	39B Total Men	40B Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Page Norris, West Jefferson, N.C.	Bill Hardin, West Jefferson, N.C.	1	8	1	6	1	4	18		8		26
2	West Jefferson	C.M. Payne, West Jefferson	Emmitt Absher, West Jefferson, N.C.	1	12	1	6	2	18	36		15		51
			Totals	2	20	2	12	3	22	54		23		77

TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe Bapt. Asso. State

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Associational President

Address

	CHURCHES	WMU Presidents and Addresses	91 Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	92 Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	93 Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	94 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Organizations	95 Junior GA Organizations	96 Intermediate GA Organizations	97 Ungraded GA Organizations	98 High School YWA Organizations	99 Career Girls' YWA Organizations	100 Ungraded YWA Organizations	101 WMS Organizations	102 Grand Total Organization	103 Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	104 Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	105 Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	106 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Enrolment	107 Junior GA Enrolment	108 Intermediate GA Enrolment	109 Ungraded GA Enrolment	110 High School YWA Enrolment	111 Career Girls YWA Enrolment	112 Ungraded YWA Enrolment	113 WMS Enrolment	114 Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Mrs. A. Harless, R. 2, W. Jeff., N. C.					1	1					3	5					9	8					30	47
2	Friendship	Mrs. W. Ferguson, R. 1, Jeff., N. C.											1	1											20	20
3	Jefferson	Mrs. T. Feuder, Jeff., N. C.											1	1											10	10
4	Midway	Mrs. B. J. Hart, W. Jefferson																								
5	Mission Home	Mrs. R. Elliott, R. 2, W. Jeff.											1	1											18	18
6	Old Fields	Mrs. W. Church, Deep Gap, N. C.				1							1	2				11							17	28
7	Phoenix	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Lansing, N. C.											1	1												
8	Warrensville	Mrs. E. C. Stanley, Warrensv.										1	1	2										8	14	22
9	West Jefferson	Mrs. J. Rader, W. Jefferson		1	1		1			1			1	5		8	17		20			4		89	138
		Totals		1	1	1	2	1		1		1	10	18		8	17	11	29	8		4		8	198	283

TABLE I TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe Bapt. Asso. State

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Associational Treasurer

Address

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	147 Total Receipts for All Purposes	148 Pastor's Salary	149 Other Church Staff Salaries	150 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	151 All Other Local Expenses	152 Grand Total Local Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk, N.C.	301	125			118	243
2	Bald Mountain	Fred Lawrence, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N.C.	1595	582			982	1564
3	Baptist Home	T.R. Sturgill, Creston, N.C.	128	82			32	115
4	Beaver Creek	Paul R. Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd, N.C.	3265	526			2366	2891
5	Bethel	E.A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	868	294			427	721
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd, N.C.	1920	393			357	751
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Rt. 1, Grayson, N.C.	571	225			151	376
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N.C.	822	286			249	534
9	Bristol	Minnie Lee Day, Jefferson, N.C.	1804	600			1005	1605
10	Buffalo	Mrs. Arthur Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	1985	671			1307	1978
11	Calvary	Mrs. Fern Mullis, West Jefferson, N.C.	358	110			185	295
12	Chestnut Hill	Spencer Brown, Rt. 1, Crumpler, N.C.	508	278			198	476
13	Clifton	John Richardson, Warrensville, N.C.	535	406			350	756
14	Fairview	Guy Teaster, Grassy Creek, N.C.		25				
15	Farmer Memoral	Gray Farmer, Whitetop, Va.		48			36	86
16	Franklin	Nora E. Patrick, Darlington, Md.	1947	1127			349	1159
17	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Gwyn E. Harless, West Jefferson, N.C.	7994	1800			2649	4429
18	Friendship	Mrs. John Witherspoon, Jefferson, N.C.	4764	1300			1971	3272
19	Glendale	Hilt Jevert, Glendale Springs, N.C.	2834	500			2221	2721
20	Grassy Creek	W. Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek, N.C.	3132	1260			1794	3054
21	Healing Springs	Annie Neaves, Crumpler, N.C.	4345	1490			2455	3945
22	Jefferson	Lola Porter, Jefferson	5508	2236			2106	4342
23	Landmark	R.L. Massey, Rt. 2, Lansing, N.C.	1768	1022			299	1321
24	Laurel Hill	Nella Smith, Rugby, Va.	381	190			101	291
25	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Ruth Holman, West Jefferson, N.C.	2013	960			673	1633
26	Liberty Grove	Earl Taylor, Todd, N.C.	1333	580			336	916
27	Liberty Hill	Mrs. Ted Sheets, Crumpler, N.C.		150			600	750
28	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, N.C.	882	490			366	856
29	Long Branch	Mrs. Foe Fletcher, Lansing, N.C.	1151	650			415	1065
30	Midway	Lloyd Witherspoon, West Jefferson, N.C.	4132	1370			2762	4132

TABLE I TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)

ASSOCIATION State

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Associational Treasurer

Address

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	147 Total Receipts for All Purposes	148 Pastor's Salary	149 Other Church Staff Salaries	150 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	151 All Other Local Expenses	152 Grand Total Local Expenditures
31	Mission Home	Nona B. Fraizer, West Jefferson, N.C.	2909	1260			840	2100
32	Mt. Olive	Betty Surber, Todd, N.C.	3927	311			727	1038
33	Mountain View	Delmar Smiley, Grayson, N.C.		34				
34	New River	G.H. Pugh, Rt. 1, Crumpler, N.C.		482			2089	2551
35	North Beaver	Jim McNeill, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N.C.	434	214			221	434
36	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing, N.C.	1347	225			1029	1254
37	Obids		729	378			289	667
38	Old Fields	Mrs. Cecil Yates, Deep Gap, N.C.	3849	1664			1907	3571
39	Orion	Wade H. Bare, West Jefferson, N.C.	1195	507			479	987
40	Peak Valley	Mrs. Edd Sluder, Creston, N.C.	1826	250			1430	1680
41	Phoenix	Mrs. F.L. Waddell, Lansing, N.C.	7021	649			6066	6714
42	Pilot Mountain	Jont R. Greene, Rt. 1, Todd, N.C.	1679	483			1201	1684
43	Pine Mountain							
44	Pine Swamp	Mrs. T.C. Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	606				191	415
45	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.	1500	177			1650	1852
46	Pleasant Chapel	Chester Elliott, Lansing, N.C.		200			50	250
47	Pleasant Home	Arthur F. Pasley Jr. Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, N.C.	1463	300			776	1076
48	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek, N.C.	474	263			151	413
49	Prosperity							
50	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Creston, N.C.	565	120			150	270
51	Round Knob	Annie Cox, Fleetwood, N.C.		139			137	276
52	Sabbath Home	Lester Eldreth, Rt. 1, Lansing, N.C.	425	247			24	271
53	Smethport	Ola Day, West Jefferson, N.C.	552	149			44	193
54	Sturgills	Edna Wyatt, Lansing, N.C.	482	168			240	408
55	Three Forks	Mrs. Edgar Mahala, Creston, N.C.	1585	344			921	1265
56	Tuckerdale	Rhonda Powers, Rt. 3, Lansing, N.C.		600			937	1537
57	Valley Home	Mrs. Grace Perkins, Todd, N.C.		129			205	334
58	Wagoner	Mrs. Geo. C. Bower, Rt. 1, Jefferson, N. C.	3763	590			2334	2924
59	Warrensville	Harold Ashley, Warrensville, N.C.	5765	3000			2515	5515
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. Earl Goodman, Crumpler	1209	600			1251	1851
61	West Jefferson	B.F. Cook, West Jefferson, N.C.	27245	4350			16502	20852
		Totals	127394	37608			71215	108822

TABLE J MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe Bapt. Asso. State

For Year Ending (Month) 19

Associational Miss'y.

Address

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	153 Cooperative Program	154 Designated Association	155 Designated State Missions	156 Designated Home Missions	157 Designated Foreign Missions	158 Designated Christian Education, Schools	159 Designated Children's Homes	160 Designated Hospitals	161 Other designated objects (Bible Society, Homes for Aged, etc.)	162 Total Mission Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk, N. C.		42					7	9		58
2	Bald Mountain	Dean Lawrence, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	25	45	32				37	30	28	198
3	Baptist Home	Robert N. Lewis, Creston, N. C.								5		5
4	Beaver Creek	Mrs. Rosalie Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.		24		8	10		35	50	25	152
5	Bethel	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	8	30					20	15	16	89
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	4	24	11		18		66	27	5	155
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Rt. 1, Grayson, N. C.	7	35					30	60	15	147
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, West Jefferson, N. C.		40					35	31		106
9	Bristol	Mrs. Lessie Roland, Jefferson, N. C.	10	36	17		20		35	50	20	188
10	Buffalo	Roby Swift, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N. C.	22	60					102	80		264
11	Calvary	Mrs. Finley Miller, West Jefferson	6	25					10	8	3	52
12	Chestnut Hill	Mrs. Fay Gambill, Crumpler, N. C.	5	5				12		10	5	32
13	Clifton	Mary Lee Hartsoe, Warrensville, N. C.		30					10	14		54
14	Fairview	Mamie Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.										
15	Farmer Memoral	Mrs. Ada Farmer, Whitetop, Va.								13		13
16	Franklin	Mrs. Retha Reedy, Rt. 1, Bel Air, Md.							20	22		42
17	Friendly Grove	McDaniel Harless, West Jefferson, N. C.	442	264	50	22	160	25	236	152		1350
18	Friendship	Clifford C. Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.	442	180		64	212		74	141		1114
19	Glendale	Mrs. Ray Miller, Rt. 2, West Jefferson							30	32		62
20	Grassy Creek	Mrs. Dixie McKeever, Mouth of Wilson, Va.	150	115	25		100		100	100	25	615
21	Healing Springs	Thelma Feuder, Crumpler, N. C.	105	195	336	421	20		100	100		1278
22	Jefferson	Fred Rash, Box 158, West Jefferson	25	25	25	37	12		25	105	11	265
23	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	25	84					50	50	10	219
24	Laurel Hill	Barbara Davis, Rugby, Va.	8						11	20		39
25	Laurel Knob	Myrtle Edwards, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	48	48					22	20	16	155
26	Liberty Grove	Mrs. Ina Taylor, Todd, N. C.	17	60	8	9	5	5	40	25	12	181
27	Liberty Hill	Ovid Woodruff, Crumpler										
28	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	14	42					31	55	7	149
29	Long Branch	John Welch, Lansing, N. C.	47						19	13	8	86
30	Midway	Paul Phillips, West Jefferson, N. C.	50	65	13	13	25	5	50	50	15	285

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31	Mission Home	Garland Grogan, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.	62	84	25	44	95	20	60	64	29	484
32	Mt. Olive	Ann Howell, Todd, N. C.							20	20	13	53
33	Mountain View	Beulah Wyatt, Grayson, N. C.										
34	New River	G. H. Pugh, Rt. 1, Crumpler, N. C.	48	50					268	35	50	450
35	North Beaver	Mrs. Tom Miller, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	48	13					17	12	8	97
36	Oak Hill	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.	7	36					50			93
37	Obids	Mrs. Nettie McNeill, West Jefferson	10	27					25			62
38	Old Fields	J. T. Hamby, Fleetwood, N. C.	211	96	31	18	35	8	50	40	11	499
39	Orion	Mrs. W. H. Dillard, Jefferson, N. C.	51	60					59	25		195
40	Peak Valley	Mrs. Glen McCoy, Creston, N. C.	48	30					23	35	10	146
41	Phoenix	Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing, N. C.	24	60	24	12	25		105	32	25	307
42	Pilot Mountain	William F. Vanney, Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.		9			16		50	22	6	103
43	Pine Mountain											
44	Pine Swamp	Howard Hartzog, Fleetwood, N. C.	5	12					24	10		51
45	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.	20		10	20				26		76
46	Pleasant Chapel	Clarence Green, Lansing, N. C.								40		40
47	Pleasant Home	Doris S. Woodruff, Rt. 1, Grassy Creek	20	100					239	20	33	412
48	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek	2	24					20	15		61
49	Prosperity											
50	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Creston, N. C.	8	42			5	5	8	20	55	137
51	Round Knob	Martha Severt, Fleetwood, N. C.								8		8
52	Sabbath Home	Thomas E. Hamm, Rt. 1, Lansing, N. C.							30	16		46
53	Smethport	Ola Day, West Jefferson, N. C.	5						16	20		41
54	Sturgills	Edna Wyatt, Lansing, N. C.		30					72	20		122
55	Three Forks	C. Everette Lewis, Creston, N. C.		15					17	20	11	62
56	Tuckerdale	Mrs. Lessie Clark, Lansing, N. C.	34	25				20	83	77		239
57	Valley Home	Mrs. Herman Creek, Todd, N. C.								25		25
58	Wagoner	Mrs. Betty Seymour, Rt. 1, Jefferson, N. C.	48	25			25			23	10	
59	Warrensville	Roy Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.	100	100	7	25	83			25		340
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. Louise Witherspoon, Jefferson, N. C.								20		20
61	West Jefferson	Mrs. Bill Hughes, West Jefferson, N. C.	3251	800	208	206	827		339	208	155	5993
		Total	5307	3112	822	899	1614	100	2767	2166	637	17646

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August 16, 1963

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McDaniel Harless ---------- Clerk and Treasurer

The Next Session Will Be Held With

TUCKERDALE BAPTIST CHURCH

August 20, 1964

MISSION HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

August 21, 1964

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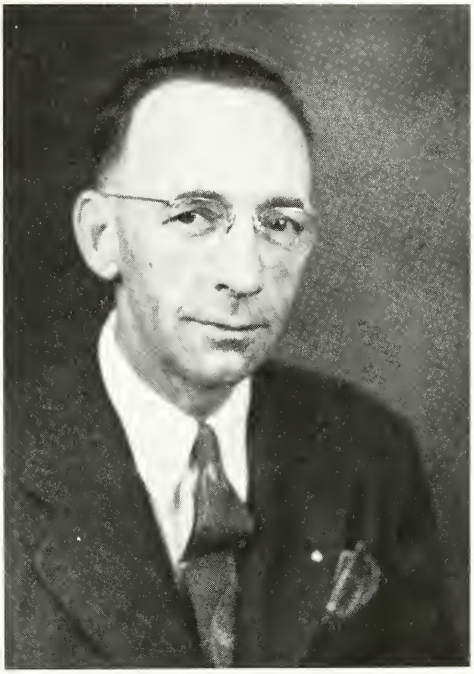

These minutes are dedicated

to the memory of

Donald A. Denny -

Outstanding Layman &

Member Of The

Executive Committee

DIRECTORY

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator ..... George West, Grassy Creek, N. C.
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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

3 year term: Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chairman, Jefferson, North Carolina
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Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
Rev. Frank Tucker, West Jefferson, N. C.
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Dewey Cox, Grassy Creek, N. C.
Tom Shepherd, Deep Gap, N. C.

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David Harless ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
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PROGRAM COMMITTEE

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Rev. R. C. Ashley ..... Warrensville, N. C.
George West ..... Grassy Creek, N. C.

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Lloyd Witherspoon ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
Paul Hopkins ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
D. C. Severt ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
G. C. Burkett ..... Jefferson, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES:

State, Home, Foreign Missions ..... Rev. W. E. Denny
Children's Home ..... Rev. Roe Pasley
Hospital ..... Rev. J. Herman Gentry
Pastors' Salary and Retirement ..... Mrs. W. T. Whittington
Home for Aging ..... Mrs. F. L. Waddell
Christian Education ..... F. L. Barker, Jr.
Christian Literature ..... Richard Blackburn
American Bible Society ..... Rev. G. C. Burkett
Temperance & Public Morals ..... B. H. Duncan
Evangelism ..... Rev. W. T. Brackett
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Sunday School .....
Training Union ..... D. C. Severt
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. C. E. Lindsey
Brotherhood ..... Guy T. Shatley
Ministerial Conference ..... Rev. W. T. Brackett
Music Committee ..... Lynn Powers
Vacation Bible School ..... Miss Mary Jordan

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President ..... Mrs. C. E. Lindsey, Jefferson, N. C.
Associate President ..... Mrs. W. T. Whittington, Jefferson, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Mrs. J. T. McMillan, West Jefferson, N. C.
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G. A. Director ..... Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, N. C.
Sunbeam Director ..... Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
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Prayer Chairman ..... Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Mission Study Chairman ..... Mrs. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.
Community Missions Chairman ..... Mrs. A. M. Frazier, West Jefferson, N. C.
Literature Chairman ..... Miss Murlie Watson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Margaret Fund Chairman ..... Mrs. R. C. Shoaf, Warrensville, N. C.
Jubilee Chairman ..... Mrs. Walter Maye, West Jefferson, N. C.

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Associate Director ..... Tommy Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Pastor Advisor ..... Rev. W. E. Burchett, West Jefferson, N. C.
Chorister ..... Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Pianist ..... Miss Maureen Shoaf, Warrensville, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Mrs. T. D. Watson, West Jefferson, N. C.

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Nursery ..... Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Beginner ..... Mrs. Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
Primary ..... Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.
Junior ..... Mrs. Tommy Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Intermediate ..... Mr. Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N. C.
Young People ..... Mrs. Tommy Hardin, West Jefferson, N. C.
Adults ..... Rev. J. Herman Gentry, West Jefferson, N. C.

GROUP LEADERS

Group I ..... Rev. Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.
Group II ..... Mr. Frank Roten, Lansing, N. C.
Group III ..... Mrs. Arthur Pasley, Grassy Creek, N. C.
Group IV ..... Mrs. Lenad Hudler, West Jefferson, N. C.
Group V ..... Mr. Sanford Howell, Fleetwood, N. C.
Group VI ..... Mr. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.

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Music Director ..... Lynn Powers, Warrensville, N. C.
Pastor-Adviser ..... G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
Director of Instrumental Activities ... Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Director of Training ..... Mrs. J. H. Gentry, West Jefferson, N. C.
Director of Congregational Activities .. Mr. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Director of Graded Choir Activities ..... Miss Nancy Dillard, Jefferson, N. C.
Director of Publicity and Promotion .. Mrs. Harold Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.

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Vice President ..... Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
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G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
Lawrence Goodman, Todd, N. C.
Secretary ..... Lynn Powers, Warrensville, N. C.
R. A. Leader ..... Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
Christian Witness Leader ..... John Burkett, Warrensville, N. C.
World Missions Leader ..... Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.

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Superintendent of Training ..... Rev. John F. Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.
Superintendent of Evangelism and Enlargement . Rev. G. C. Burkett, Jefferson, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer .....
V. B. S. Superintendent ..... Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.
Chorister ..... Howard Jones, West Jefferson, N. C., Midway Church
Pianist ..... Miss Jerrie Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.

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Cradle Roll .....
Nursery ..... Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, N. C., West Jefferson Church
Beginner ..... Mrs. Raymond Elliott, West Jefferson, N. C., Mission Home Church

Primary ..... Mrs. Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C., Friendship Church
Junior ..... John D. Cook, West Jefferson, N. C.
Intermediate ..... Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson, N. C., Bristol Church
Young People .....
Adults ..... Richard Neaves, Crumpler, N.C., Healing Springs, Church

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS:

Group I .....
Group II ..... Rev. Lynn Powers, Warrensville, N. C., Warrensville Church
Group III ..... Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek, N. C., Grassy Creek Church
Group IV ..... Eddie Duncan, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N. C., Buffalo
Group V ..... Clark Church, Fleetwood, N. C., Old Fields Church
Group VI ..... Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N. C., Friendship Church

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Edd Mullis ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
Paul McClure ..... Rt. 2, Lansing, N. C.
Floyd South ..... Rt. 1, West Jefferson, N. C.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Lawrence Goodman ..... Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.
David R. Brown ..... Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.
Russell C. Wyatt ..... Grayson, N. C.
Lyle J. Vannoy ..... Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.
William F. Vannoy ..... Rt. 1, Todd, N. C.

MINISTERS NOT SERVICE AS PASTORS

Lester Blevins .....New Town, Pa.
Jewel Blevins ..... Grassy Creek, N. C.
Hassell Boyce ..... Stewartstown, Pa.
John Campbell ..... Lansing, N. C.
G. L. Denny .....Jefferson, N. C.
J. H. Gentry ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
Elmer Ham ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
Paul Horne ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
David Hartsog .....Fleetwood, N. C.
Herbert Mason ..... Valdese, N. C.
James Miller ..... Eubank, Ky.
Smith Miller ..... Burlington, N. C.
Jack McGinnis ..... North Wilkesboro, N. C.
Roger Osborne ..... Fig, N. C.
Keene Roark ..... Creston, N. C.
Ralph Smith ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
Everett Trivett ..... Konnarock, Va.
Robert Woodruff ..... West Jefferson, N. C.

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W. E. Denny ..... Crumpler, N. C.
R. L. Dolinger .....Jefferson, N. C.
T. M. Hayes ..... Crumpler, N. C.

A. P. Howell ..... Lansing, N. C.
Finley Miller ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
E. Z. Sexton ..... Jefferson, N. C.
C. C. Trivette ..... West Jefferson, N. C.
H. M. Winkler ..... Fleetwood, N. C.

ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1964 SESSION

Tuckerdale Baptist Church
August 20, 1964
Program

Morning Session

9:00 Worship-Song, Scripture, Prayer ..... Rev. Frank Tucker
9:15 Organization and Business
1. Seating of Messengers
2. Recognition of New Churches
3. Adoption of Program
4. Recognition of Visitors and New Pastors
5. Appointment of Committees
(1) Resolutions Committee
(2) Place and Preacher Committee
9:30 Business Session
1. Report of Executive Committee ..... Rev. G. C. Burkett
2. Report of Associational Missions ..... Associational Missionary
3. Report of Treasurer ..... McDaniel Harless
4. Report of Finance Committee ..... Rev. R. C. Ashley
5. Report of the Nominating Committee
6. Election of Officers for next year
10:30 Congregational Song
10:35 Our Churches at Work
Sunday School Report ..... Associational Sunday School Superintendent
Vacation Bible School Report (10 Minutes) ..... Mary Jordan
Training Union Report ..... D. C. Severt
W. M. U. Report ..... Mrs. C. E. Lindsey
Brotherhood Report ..... Guy T. Shatley
Church Music Report ..... Church Music Director
11:20 Congregational Song
11:25 Associational Sermon ..... Rev. Paul Phipps
Alternate ..... Rev. Larence Goodman
12:00 Recess for Lunch

Afternoon Session

1:15 Worship-Song, Scripture, Prayer ..... Rev. Ted Davis
1:25 Report of Committee on Constitutional Amendment
1:35 Miscellaneous Business
1:45 Churches and Christian Missions
1. Report on Christian Education ..... F. L. Barker, Jr.
2. State, Home, and Foreign Missions ..... Rev. W. E. Denny
3. Christian Literature Report ..... Richard Blackburn
3:30 Adjourn

Mission Home Baptist Church

August 21, 1964

Morning Session

9:00 Worship-Song, Scripture, Prayer ..... Rev. R. C. Ashley
9:15 Miscellaneous Business
Election of Officers for all Organizations
9:45 The Churches in the Community
1. Report on Public Morals ..... B. H. Duncan
2. Report on Evangelism ..... Chairman of Evangelism
10:10 Congregational Song
10:15 Address ..... Judge J. J. Hayes
10:45 The Churches and the Ministry
1. Report on Ministerial Conference ..... Rev. W. T. Brackett
2. Pastors' Salaries and Ministerial Retirement .. Mrs. W. T. Whittington
11:10 Report and Comments on the American Bible Society .. Rev. G. C. Burkett
11:20 Congregational Song
11:25 Missionary Sermon ..... Rev. H. M. Winkler
12:00 Recess for Lunch

Afternoon Session

1:15 Worship-Song, Scripture, and Prayer ..... Rev. David Brown
1:25 Address ..... Dr. J. Glenn Blackburn
2:00 The Churches and Benevolent Services
1. Report on Children's Homes ..... Rev. Roe Pasley
2. Report on Hospital ..... Rev. J. Herman Gentry
3. Report on Homes for the Aging ..... Mrs. F. L. Waddell
2:45 Congregational Song
2:50 Report on Baptist Foundation
3:05 Miscellaneous Business
1. Report on Place and Preacher Committee
2. Report on Resolutions Committee
3. Reading and Approval of Minutes
3:15 Memorial Service ..... Rev. R. R. Campbell
3:30 Adjourn

CONSTITUTION

Article I Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communities closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken as may be decided upon by the Association.

Article II Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in co-operation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. The Moderator (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) shall preside over all the sessions of the Association, preserve order, and perform such other duties as are required of presiding officers.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the preceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. The Associational Missionary shall work with the Churches in promoting the program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and the Southern Baptist Convention and promoting the enlistment of the Churches in the cooperative support of the causes fostered by said bodies and under the direction of the Executive Committee of the Association.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational Missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Article V Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three for one year, three for two years, three for three years, and at the expiration of each term, for a period of three years. After the completion of one term no member shall be eligible for re-election to this committee until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this committee may be chosen from any one church of the Association. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to co-operate with the officers and pastors of the Association and the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and with the Southern Baptist Convention in promoting and advancing the work of the denomination within the bounds of the Association; to act for the Association in any necessary matter between sessions; to supervise and direct the work of the Associational Missionary; to perform any other duties that may be designated by the Association; and to make a report to the Association at each annual session. Vacancies occuring in this committee shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct the organization of new churches in accordance withthe rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed or mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister, to deliver the Associational Sermon, and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Committees named in this article shall be elected by the Association on the first day of each annual session unless otherwise here-in-before provided. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members to suggest the composition of said committees and their election shall be by the Association.

Article VI Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening on Thursday before the third Sunday in August of each year at such place as may be designated by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as hereinbefore provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII Power and Prerogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowship from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.
2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.
4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.
6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgement.
9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.
2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.
3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.
4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.
5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES

August 15, 1963 the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association opened its seventy-seventh session for the purpose of transacting business. The session opened with devotional led by the host pastor, Rev. R. C. Ashley.

MODERATOR'S PERIOD

Seating of messengers and pastors.

Motion made to adopt program as the procedure of the Association. Motion carried.

Visitors:

W. H. Caldwell, Brushy Mtn.

C. W. Bayemore, Raleigh Association

New Pastors:

Lawrence Goodman-Landmark

David Brown-Bethel

Herbert McCoy-Old Fields

The following committees were named by the Moderator:

Resolution Committee: Bill Burchett, Chairman, Reeves Jones, and Finley Miller.

Place and Preacher: W. E. Denny, Chairman, H. M. Winkler and Elwood Goodman.

Motion to accept these men on these committees. Motion carried.

Report of the Executive Committee, Rev. G. C. Burkett. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on Associational Missions, Rev. Audley Frazier. Report adopted.

Motion to give C. W. Bazemore time on the program at this time. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report by McDaniel Harless. Report adopted.

Report of Finance Committee by Rev. R. C. Ashley. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report of the Committee of the Five, R. C. Ashley, Chairman. Motion to accept the report of the committee of five for the Executive Committee. Motion carried.

Program Committee. Motion to accept the committees' nomination for Program Committee. Motion carried.

Election of Officers:

Nominated for Moderator-G. W. West nominated. Motion that nomination close. G. W. West elected by standing vote.

R. C. Ashley nominated as Vice Moderator. R. C. Ashley elected.

McDaniel Harless nominated and elected for Clerk and Treasurer.

Committee on New Church. Motion to accept report of Committee. Motion carried.

Motion to accept Green's Chapel Church under the watchcare of the Association until committee on New Churches makes report. Motion carried.

Motion made to take offering both days of Association to pay on Missionary's Home. Motion carried.

Report on Sunday School, Rev. W. E. Burchett. Motion to adopt report with additional information which will be furnished to the Clerk. Report adopted.

Report on Training Union, D. C. Severt. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, Jimmy Morgan. Report adopted.

Report of W. M. S., Mrs. C. E. Lindsey. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, Mrs. W. T. Whittington. Report adopted.

Report of Brotherhood, Guy T. Shatley. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on Church Music, Mrs. Nancy Frazier. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Special music, Mrs. Ruth Stringer, Mrs. Wayne Johnson and Mrs. Nancy Frazier.

Associational message, Rev. W. E. Burchett.

After a very delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session with worship period led by Rev. Lawrence Goodman.

Remarks by two former Moderators: Rev. W. E. Denny and Rev. Coy Blackburn.

Visitors: J. R. Shumate, Joe Hodgson, Bristol, Tennessee.

Motion made that Section 2, Article 5 of Constitution be changed to read as follows:

ARTICLE 5, SECTION 2

The Executive Committee shall consist of one member from each church, elected

by the church, and initially chosen one third of the membership for one year, one third for two years and one third for three years, and at the expiration of each term for a period of three years. After the completion of one term no member shall be eligible for re-election to this committee until after the lapse of one year. Pastors of the churches in the Association shall automatically be members of this committee, however, no pastor shall have more than one vote. The quorum of the Committee shall be eleven. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to co-operate with the officers and pastors of the Association and the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and with the Southern Baptist Convention in promoting and advancing the work of the denomination within the bounds of the Association; to act for the Association in any necessary matter between sessions; to supervise and direct the work of the Associational Missionary; to perform any other duties that may be designated by the Association; and to make a report to the Association at each annual session. Vacancies occurring in this committee shall be filled for the unexpired term by the church at its next regular business meeting and proper notification given to the clerk of the Association. New churches shall initially be assigned a one, two or three year term as may be determined by the Executive Committee to maintain its proper balance.

The adoption of this amendment recends all action heretofore taken contrary to it.

Motion seconded. This motion to be voted on the second day of the Association.

Report on Christian Education, Cecil Atwood. Motion that someone be appointed to write a report on Christian Education and that it be included in the minutes.

Report on State, Home and Foreign Missions. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, Jimmy Morgan. Report adopted.

Report on Christian Literature, Lynn M. Powers. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, Lynn Powers. Report adopted.

Motion to adjourn for the day.

Friday morning session opened at Pilot Mountain Baptist Church with devotional led by host pastor, Rev. Fred Vannoy.

Motion made that report on Christian Literature be approved. Motion carried.

Motion made that the names of Missions Committee and the Trustees of Missionary's Home be placed in the directory of the minutes. Motion carried.

Trustees: Sanford Howell, Lloyd Witherspoon, G. C. Burkett, Paul Hopkins and D. C. Severt.

Motion made that same Finance Committee be retained. Motion carried.

Motion to accept Brotherhood Officers. Motion carried.

Motion that the Executive Committee be given power to elect Sunday School Officers. Motion carried.

Motion that we accept the Training Union Officers. Motion carried.

Motion that the Executive Committee approve the W. M. U. Officers. Motion carried.

Motion that Clerk convey to Ira T. Johnston the greeting of this associational body. Motion carried.

Report on Public Morals, Rev. H. M. Winkler. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Report on Evangelism, Rev. W. T. Brackett. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Message, Rev. W. T. Brackett.

Motion to move report on American Bible Society to afternoon and give time. M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill College. Motion carried.

Talk on Mars Hill College, M. H. Kendall.

Report on Ministerial Conference, Rev. John Goodman. Motion to adopt report. Motion carried.

Report on Pastors' salaries and retirement, Ira T. Johnston. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Message, Rev. Elwood Goodman.

After a very delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session of the Association.

Devotional, Rev. Cecil Ballou.

Report of American Bible Society, Miss Nancy Dillard. Comments, G. C. Burkett. Motion to adopt report. Report adopted.

Message, Rev. M. D. Hart.

Report on Children's Home, Roe Pasley. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, John Roberts. Report adopted.

Report on Baptist Hospital, J. Herman Gentry. Motion to adopt report. Discussion, Dr. C. C. Carpenter. Motion carried.

Report on Home for Aging, Mrs. F. L. Waddell. Motion to adopt. Discussion, Mrs. Hooiser and Mrs. Boles. Report adopted.

Report of Baptist Foundation, Emory Traimer. Motion to adopt. Report adopted.

Motion made to defer the vote on change of Section 2, Article 5 of the Constitution until 1964 session and that the Moderator name a committee to study change. Motion carried.

1963 ASSOCIATIONAL CHRISTIAN LITERATURE REPORT

There are three avenues in which the Southern Baptists witness and reach out to the lost and dying world. Evangelism, medical, education and still another way in which we witness is through publication. The Bible you now have had to be published by someone. Publication is one of the greatest ministries we could have. Parents should lead their home in reading Christian Literature. Too many times we see the majority of literature so called in our homes that it is not Christian. If a poll could be taken we would see that Christian Literature in our homes is outnumbered with delinquent reading material.

There are many Christian publications that are available. You should know about the Biblical Recorder, your North Carolina Baptist paper published weekly in Raleigh. Charity and Children, our Children's Home publication. Then there is the Home Life magazine published monthly from Nashville which may be ordered with your Church Sunday School order. Open Windows is a wonderful devotional publication also the Church Library and the Church Musician. Teachers, there is more than meets the eye in your Builder and Training Union magazine. Don't forget, your Baptist Book Store is waiting to hear from you.

Lynn M. Powers

REPORT OF THE PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE

We, your Committee on Place and Preacher, make the following report.
Place: First day - Tuckerdale Baptist Church
Second day - Mission Home Baptist Church

Associational Sermon - Rev. Paul Phipps
Alternate - Rev. Lawrence Goodman

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. W. E. Denny
Rev. H. M. Winkler
Rev. Elwood Goodman

REPORT ON STATE, HOME, AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

The New Testament gives us a complete and perfect plan for our mission work in the spread of the Gospel throughout the world. The Acts of the Apostles, Chapter 1, verse 8 conveys this plan to us in these words: "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem and in all Judaea and in Samaria and unto the uttermost part of the earth."

The Cooperative Program is the channel through which North Carolina Baptists support the world ministry committed to them by Christ in the great commission. Our mission work must begin in Jerusalem and to be effective in the evangelization of the world, it must begin in the local churches. By giving through the Cooperative Program the individual Baptist and church share in the denomination's program of witnessing, teaching, healing and preaching at home and to the ends of the earth.

Through support of the Cooperative Program each individual can help evangelize North Carolina. The largest portion of State Mission funds comes from the Cooperative Program. Last year 2,817 people were won to Christ through the direct missions area of our State Missions Program. Hundreds of others were won to Christ through other areas of state missions.

Truly, the Cooperative Program is the love of God in action; the hands of Christ at work. The individual Christian can make his contribution through his church, the church as a whole deciding what portion shall be given to all denominational causes through this program. These contributions are then sent to the State Convention office in Raleigh, and there divided between State and Southern Convention causes according to instructions from the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

Funds for State causes are distributed on the basis of the budget adapted by the North Carolina Baptist State Convention.

Funds for Southern Baptist Convention causes are distributed to the various causes on the basis of the budget adapted by the Southern Baptist Convention.

More information is available concerning our over-all mission program from well informed pastors, Sunday School Superintendents, the pages of the Bibical Recorder, Southern Baptist Home Missions, and the various pamphlets and reports of the agencies themselves.

During the last associational year (1962) our Ashe Missionary Baptist Association made the following gifts toward the support of world missions: through the Cooperative Program we gave $5,307 in addition we gave to State Missions $822 to Home Missions $899 and to Foreign Missions $1614. These figures represent an over-all increase in the amount of contributions for the previous year (1961). However, a large percentage of our churches gave nothing to either of these mission programs.

This writer believes that each church should be urged to adapt a budget to include the Cooperative Program on the basis of a definite percentage. In this manner each individual Christian in one gift can share in our total World Mission Program and further the cause of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, in our time.

Respectfully submitted,
Gerald B. Denny

HOSPITAL REPORT

Our Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem has grown by leaps and bounds and is touching the lives of more and more people physically, spiritually and mentally as the years go by.

This is the 40th anniversary of the hospital. Forty years filled with dedicated, unselfish service to mankind. As we look back over the years we can truly say that the hand of the Lord and the prayers of His people have been in this work. As we face the future may we face it with faith and courage and a prayer in our heart that God will lead us to give of the material things that He has blessed us with for the support of His cause.

Our Mothers Day offering for 1963 of $2285.22 was slightly above the 1962 offering. Twenty-five churches gave more; 18 churches gave less; 9 gave the same and 14 gave nothing. Please search the record and see which group your church fell in.

It is hard to believe that any church in this great free land of ours could not make an offering of some size, if somebody would present it to the church at the right time in the right way.

We shall ever be grateful to each individual, each pastor, group leader and church for your support in helping those that cannot help themselves.

Respectfully submitted,
J. H. Gentry

REPORT ON HOMES FOR THE AGING

The Homes for the aging in Winston-Salem, Albemarle and Hamilton, North Carolina have made life longer and much happier for hundreds of aging people during the past 10 to 11 years.

We, therefore, as Ashe Missionary Baptists are happy to have had a small part in this great service for our Master. He said: "In as much as ye did it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye did it unto Me."

May we ask Him to guide us in a greater way in His service than we have done in the past, and on the 3rd Sunday in February make a most worthy offering to this great cause.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. F. L. Waddell

REPORT OF PASTORS' CONFERENCE

The Ashe Baptist Pastors' Conference has made a good record the past year.

The programs have been well planned and given in interest of the denominational promotion, evangelism and missions.

All pastors and Christian Workers who possibly can should plan to attend these meetings.

Respectfully submitted,
John Goodman, Secretary

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Your Executive Committee has met quarterly, with one called meeting, during the

year with the following brethren serving as officers: Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chairman, Paul Hopkins, Vice-Chairman, and Rev. Audley B. Frazier, Secretary.

We are happy to report a year of progress in the Ashe Baptist Association and want to express our heartfelt gratitude to all who have made it possible. We are grateful to God for His mercies and goodness to us, to our churches for their support of the work, the Baptist State Convention of N. C. for its help and to un-named individuals for personal support and effort in many ways.

Since much of our work will be covered in other reports, and to avoid needless duplication, we will mention only aspects of our associational work that are general in nature and, for the most part, covered only in the work of the Executive Committee. The following items deserve special notice:

1. The committee recommended a special offering from the churches for the purpose of drilling a well and meeting a special indebtedness for storm windows on the missionary home. We are happy to report that these needs were met with a small surplus being made available for other associational needs.
2. The committee made request to the Baptist State Convention of N. C. for financial aid on associational missions work. We are grateful to the Convention for meeting our request and helping us carry on the work.
3. The Long Range Spiritual Advance Program, being promoted in Region VII in our state in 1964 by the Baptist State Convention, was explained to the committee and approved by it.
4. A second special offering to apply to the debt on the missionary home was promoted on the 5th Sunday in June. We regret to report some disappointment in the response to this appeal.
5. Our committee was appraised of the resignation of Bro. Audley B. Frazier as missionary for the Ashe-Alleghany Associations and the following persons were named to a Missions Committee to seek out a possible replacement: D. C. Severt, Chairman, G. C. Burkett and McDaniel Harless.
6. The committee further went on record as recommending the annual election of a missions committee.
7. The committee named Brethren Gerald Denny and J. H. Gentry to handle the publicity for the Deacon's School October 21, and 22.

As a final word the committee would like to express its appreciation to Bro. Audley B. Frazier for his excellent leadership in our association during the years he has served us as missionary. We feel he was led here of the Lord and trust that, as the Lord has led him elsewhere, his ministry may continue to be fruitful in Kingdom service.

Respectfully submitted,
THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Ashe Baptist Association
G. C. Burkett, Chairman

REPORT OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY
(August 1, 1962 - July 15, 1963)

TYPE OF WORK DONE IN THE CHURCHES:

	Number
Sermons preached	38
Sunday School Classes Taught	15

Church Study Courses Taught	7
Vacation Bible Schools Conducted	7
Vacation Bible Schools Promoted	7
Devotionals (Radio, S. S., B. T. U., Prayer Meetings, Etc.)	19
Visual Aids Presented	6
Training Unions Organized	1
Mission Studies Taught and/or Mission Emphasis	4

ASSOCIATIONAL PROMOTIONAL EFFORTS:

	Number of Meetings
Associational Officers' Planning Meeting, W. Jefferson	1
W. M. U. Workshop, Friendly Grove	1
Group Music Schools, Warrensville, Mission Home, Friendship Churches	5
Sunday School Action Night, Midway	1
Training Union "M" Night Program, West Jefferson	1
Carol Sing, Warrensville	1
Hymn Sings, Mission Home, Orion, Phoenix	3
Preachers' School, West Jefferson	5
Youth Night, Jefferson	1
Mission Rally and World Missions Week, W. Jefferson	6
Brotherhood Workshop, Warrensville	1
Annual W. M. U. Meeting, Old Fields	1

OTHER EFFORTS USED TO PROMOTE THE WORK (Ashe - Alleghany)

Conferences:	Individual	476
	Group	22
	Committee	47
Mail Sent Out:		
	Letters	734
	Cards	343
	Reports etc.	254
	Bulletins	2530
Calendar of Activities Prepared		190

Miles traveled in promotion of the work:	Personal Care	17,859
	Other Means	1,660
	Total Miles traveled	19,519

MEETINGS ATTENDED OUTSIDE THE ASSOCIATION IN INTEREST OF THE WORK

	No. of Days
N. C. Pastors' Conference, Raleigh	1
Baptist State Convention, Raleigh	3
State-wide Workshop for Associational Missionaries and Convention Staff, High Point	2
State VBS Clinic, Wingate College, Wingate	3
Long Range Program of Spiritual Advance Leadership Meeting, North Wilkesboro	1
Regional and Associational Training Union Officers' Meeting, North Wilkesboro	1
Homes for the Aging Meeting of Representatives and Missionaries, Winston Salem	1
Associational Missions Conference, Gulfshore Baptist Assembly, Pass Christian, Mississippi	5

Associational Leadership Training Meeting, Lenoir ---------- 1
Region VII Training Union Meeting, Crossnore ---------- 1
Regional Cooperative Program Advance Workshop, Boone ---------- 1
N. C. Associational Missionaries' Conference, N. C. Baptist Assembly, Southport ------ 5

Respectfully submitted,
Audley B. Frazier

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, the Finance Committee of the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association, wish to submit the following suggested budget for the year, 1963 and 1964.

Associational Missionary

Salary	$ 1,375.00
Car Expenses	396.00
Retirement	172.00
Convention	86.00
Office Expenses	86.00

Associational Expenses

House Payment	$ 1,200.00
Fire Insurance	80.00
Training Union	25.00
Sunday School	25.00
Bible School	50.00
Music	50.00
Clerks Fee	50.00
Postage and Supplies	50.00
Miscellaneous	250.00
Total Budget	$ 3,890.00

The above amount will be needed for our Mission work for the coming year. The past year has been very successful and the work has gone forward in many ways, for this we are very grateful to every one. We urge you to continue your support, and pledges to this work till it will go forward, and that someone will be called soon to take the Missionary's place.

Your prayers and support is needed in this work.

Your Finance Committee
R. C. Ashley, Chairman
Coleman Payne
Guy T. Shotley

TRAINING UNION REPORT

The Associational Training Union Officers have met in regular scheduled meetings, twice per quarter for the past year.

The record last year of five new unions was not reached this year, although the progress this year has been very good.

Let us determine to make the coming year better in all phases of our work than in the year just passed.

Respectfully submitted,
D. C. Severt
Associational Training Union Director

MUSIC COMMITTEE REPORT

The Church Music Ministry in our Association has made some progress in the last year. We had a Planning Meeting with our officers in September with the aid of Mr. Jimmy Mize of North Wilkesboro, N. C.

We sponsored Group Music Schools October 15--19, 1962, with a school in each of the following churches: Friendship, Mission Home and Warrensville. The schools were well attended and we believe our people profited by their attendence.

In addition to our schools, we sponsored three Hymn Sings -- Mission Home, Orion and Phoenix Churches. Also we had a Carol Sing in December at the Warrensville Church.

It is our hope that the Church Music Ministry will continue to make progress in our Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Audley Frazier, Chm.
Music Committee

REPORT ON AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The American Bible Society is an active partner of Southern Baptists in the missionary task of sharing Christ with the whole world--a task which calls for the widest possible distribution of the Scriptures. People must have the Bible because it presents Jesus Christ, the one hope of men and nations. Each person must have the Bible in his own language because it speaks to his heart as no other language can speak. In most countries, people cannot afford even the cost of printing the Scriptures. The Bible is the essential tool of missions and evangelism. The Missionary uses it in all his work. The Bible itself is a missionary. It can go where the human missionary cannot go. It can stay on after he must leave--and keep on speaking to a person's heart.

The American Bible Society helps missionaries to translate the Bible, publishes without note or comment and distributes without profit, usually below cost. For the Blind, it supplies Scriptures in Braille and other raised-letter systems and on Talking Book records.

During 1962 the American Bible Society--rejoiced that some part of the Bible has been published in 1202 languages; the full Bible in 228, a Testament in 285 more, a Gospel or other complete book in 689 more--but still faced the task of translating the Scriptures into another 1,000 or more languages.

-- extended its work to 40 additional countries and provided almost two-thirds of the year's total of nearly 50 million Scripture volumes distributed by all the Bible Societies of the world. Especially encouraging was its overseas distribution

of almost 17 million volumes, which was a remarkable increase of 49 per cent over the year before.

-- gave almost a million Scripture volumes for distribution by Chaplains to our Armed Forces and Veterans' Hospitals, as a vital link between the home churches and men in service.

-- sought new ways for reaching people who have little or no acquaintance with the Bible. Among these new approaches is a program throughout Latin America, in which Christian laymen are recruited and trained, in evening courses, in the evangelistic distribution of the Scriptures in their own communities, under the direction of their own churches.

-- continued to expand its distribution of Scriptures to persons of special needs in our own land: people with different language backgrounds; victims of disasters; people in crowded problem-filled "inner-city" areas; patients in hospitals and nursing homes; persons in jails, reformatories and prisons; migrant farm workers--and many others.

Southern Baptists support the work because the Bible Society serves mission work--and Southern Baptist missionaries depend on the Society for Scriptures they need for their people--Southern Baptist churches believe in the missionary importance of giving to the American Bible Society.

Two years, 1958 and 1961, Southern Baptists led all denominations in gifts to the American Bible Society. But in 1962 Southern Baptist gifts of $158,206 stood second, exceeded by Methodist gifts of $206,580. Gifts from all churches in the United States totaled $1,191,233.

The help of every Southern Baptist Church is needed.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Dillard

REPORT ON PASTORS' SALARIES AND RETIREMENT

For years I have believed that every church should pay its pastor a decent salary. Plans have been set up making participation in Retirement benefits reasonable. Perhaps there would be no argument against the above statements and we will cast a negative vote only by failure of our churches and their members to assume their proper responsibility. This covers the subject perhaps, as well as a lot of words which might be written.

Respectfully submitted,
Ira T. Johnston

EVANGELISM

The primary function of the local New Testament Church, and cooperating churches, is to evangelize those lost in sin. Our report on evangelism for this year indicates that we have not been working very hard. We have a total Resident membership of over 4000. We should win at least one for every ten resident members. Or, we should have won in this year over 400 to the Lord. Of course, records do not show all that has been done or all that has happened in evangelism for one must look into the future, knowing that evangelism does not end at the report periods.

Evangelism is the result when we have a long range planning program. Each church, should have a functioning council on evangelism to plan and promote

evangelism throughout the year. A religious census, an evangelistic visitation program that is church centered with all organizations working cooperatively and an all church soul-winning training course being held several weeks prior to each revival is a (real) evangelistic effort.

Let us return to our churches and enlist each church to participate in a simultaneous campaign in 1964. The dates suggested for this 1964 campaign is March 29 - April 12.

In view of the special emphasis on evangelism in 1964 that is being made among Baptists, I sincerely hope and pray that we may be used of the Holy Spirit to do something toward bringing us to the place where God can use us in a powerful way in the months ahead.

Respectfully submitted,
W. T. Brackett

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS

This report in many associations has been called the Report of Christian Life Committee. There is much that needs to be said about Christian Life in our society today. If ever the "leaven" of Christian living was needed in our "lump" of society it is today. Paul tells us to "be God's children, blameless, sincere---living in a diseased world--- shining as lights in a dark place. For you hold in your hand the very word of God." A glance at current newspapers and magazines, an evening before our T. V., a glance at movie billboards, a few minutes before magazine racks in many stores will convince any sober-minded citizen that something is wrong in our society.

We are reminded that the dangers from radio active fall-out are guarded against and every effort to protect the public is being made, whereas little is being done to protect the public against the disastrous effect of alcoholism. Alcoholics are increasing every year at the rate of 450,000 a year. There are 8 million known alcoholics; 20,000 persons die and 4 hundred thousand are injured in accidents caused by drunken drivers. Sin is a serpent that changes its skin but not its poisoning nature. Sin ruins men's lives and that should be every Christian's business. To curse the dark will not light the candles of truth; but to light the candles may cancel the darkness. We may formulate lives and prosecute wrong doers but the way to change people's morals is still to bring them to the foot of the Cross where hearts are changed. We're at war with evil if we are God's children. What are we as Christian leaders doing to change this society? Preachers, we need to anchor ourselves more in "thus saith the Lord." Not just in the pulpit but in our daily lives. We need to put away jealousy, envy and back-biting among ourselves. How can our people trust us when some preachers will stoop to lying and cheating on their brother pastors in order to hurt them or root them out? Some are more concerned with what "I" want than what God would have me do. Our young people aren't going to the dogs, they are following the dogs. Can they safely follow you, pastor, their leader or you mother, father? The basic sins of the flesh are still the battle grounds where only redeemed souls can survive. Our nation will be as strong as we, the people, are. Judgement must begin at the house of the Lord. Let us as God's Annointed or Called come back to the Bible as our guide and teach men to do so. Taking our stand, as of old, against Sunday amusement, alcohol, bad literature, and all the evils that beset us with a total surrender of our lives to God. Then God will hear from heaven and heal our land.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. H. M. Winkler

RESOLUTIONS

1. Resolved that this Association extend its sincere thanks and deepest appreciation to the Pastors and members of Phoenix Baptist Church and Pilot Mountain Baptist Church for the fine hospitality shown us.

2. Be it resolved that we express our gratitude to the officers, committees, speakers, and all others who have helped to make the Association a success.

3. Be it resolved that we express our heartfelt appreciation to Rev. A. B. Frazier for the years of faithful service to our Association as Associational Missionary.

4. Be it further resolved that we enthusiastically support with our money, time, and prayers the objects for which we stand that the world may hear of the Savior and His love.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Finley Miller
Rev. Reeves Jones
Rev. W. E. Burchett

THE REPORT OF THE N.C. BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC.

Since July, 1962, the North Carolina Baptist Foundation has established an office in the Baptist Building with a full-time Executive Secretary and secretarial help. This is the first time in the history of the Foundation that it has engaged in full-time emphases. The activities of the Executive Secretary have been varied. One of the purposes of the Board of Directors has been to carry the message of the services offered by the Foundation to as many associations as possible; into as many churches as possible; and to as many individuals as he has had the opportunity. These contracts have been quite stimulating and it remains to be seen what results will accrue from these contacts.

On June 30, 1962, we reported to you that the assets of the Foundation amounted to $303,186.66. The assets of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation as of June 30, 1963, were $324,256.39. Since the close of business last year in June, 1962, the Foundation has technically in its control two estates of rather large size. The estate of R. Sterling Graves amounts to approximately $440,000. The estate of T. F. Pettus is in the neighborhood of $110,000. Both of these estates are in the hands of the trustees of the estates and for all practical purposes they will be turned over to the Foundation in the very near future. These two estates will push our assets to over $870,000. The Baptist Foundation has emphasized the fact over and over again that it exists to serve ALL Baptists. Those who have relatively small amounts of money, personal property or other real assets, will find the Foundation is just as anxious to serve them as it is to serve the larger estates. It is a fundamental belief of the Directors of the Foundation that the Foundation exists to serve ALL Baptists.

The Baptist Foundation Board of Directors and the Executive Secretary wish to express their deep appreciation to the various organizations, institutions and agencies that have assisted them with the promotion of the Foundation program. We solicit your continued support and hope that the Foundation will be better able, year by year, to render the services for which it was established.

C. Gordon Maddrey
Executive Secretary
N. C. Baptist Foundation, Inc.

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Brotherhood Organization of the Ashe County Baptist Association presents the following report:

Meetings 1962 - 63

August 28, 1962 met in the Ashe Missionary conference room with heads of the Associational Organizations to discuss the associational program for 1963.

September 14th, a planning meeting for the Associational Brotherhood Officers was held at the First Baptist Church, West Jefferson with an approved worker to lead in the meeting. Present were: Guy T. Shatley, Rev. Rexford Campbell, Paul Swanson, and Rev. Audley B. Frazier.

January 3, 1963 the Rev. Audley B. Frazier and Guy T. Shatley attended a regional Associational Officers Meeting at the First Baptist Church, North Wilkesboro, N. C. to promote the Spiritual Advance Program.

January 17, 1963 a Brotherhood Officers Planning Meeting at the Missionary Home.

Promoted:

April 18th Baptist Men's Night.

The Rev. Clyde Davis, Brotherhood Secretary of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, was the speaker at Warrensville Baptist Church.

April 21-26 helped promote World Missions Week.

The Associations now have three churches each with an active Brotherhood, listed as follows: West Jefferson, Friendly Grove, and Warrensville. The Warrensville was reorganized during the 1962-63 Associational year.

Considering the world population increase and the world conditions, we can see very plainly that the harvest is ripe and the laborers are few.

We feel that some progress has been made, but there is a need for a greater and more highly accelerated effort in this very important field of Christian Service.

Respectfully submitted,
Guy T. Shatley, President
Ashe County Baptist Association Brotherhood

TREASURER'S REPORT

ASHE ASSOCIATION

Balance in Treasury		$ 37.74
Minute Fund		386.50
Received from Churches		4,254.90
	Total	$ 4,679.14
Ashe Share Missionary		$ 2,085.00
Paid on Home		1,300.00
Insurance on Home		81.84
Well		343.72

Storm Windows		111.50
Music Department		50.00
Bible School Expense		50.00
Ministers' Conference		60.00
Minutes		336.74
Office Expense and Postage (Clerk)		43.20
Misc. Expenditures		128.74
Balance in Treasury		88.40
	Total	$ 4,679.14

ASHE - ALLEGHANY

Balance in Treasury		$ 16.32
North Carolina Baptist State Convention		1,725.00
Alleghany		875.00
Ashe		2,085.00
	Total	$ 4,701.32

Salary		$ 3,200.00
Travel Expense		850.00
Annuities		400.08
Convention		50.00
Office Expense		200.00
Balance in Treasury		1.24
	Total	$ 4,701.32

W.M.U. REPORT

The Women's Missionary Union of the Ashe Association has progressed in 1963, and we trust that through a united effort the progress will be greater in 1964.

The following is a report of the W. M. U. activities for 1963.

No. of Societies 10 (9 reporting)
No. of Circles 16
No. of members 222
No. of study courses 12
No. of books read 10
No. of Magazines: Royal Service 88, Tell 10, Window 20, Sunbeam 1
No. giving through cooperative program 172
No. of tithers 66
No. participating in Community Missions 109
No. Prayer Leagues none
No. organizations observed weeks of prayer:

Foreign Mission	8
Home Mission	8
State Mission	4

Amount of Offering:

Lottie Moon	$ 1,590.85

Annie Armstrong	359.22
Heck Jones	63.50
State Missions	39.00

No. of Young Peoples Organizations:

Y. W. A.		None
G. A. Int.	2 Jr.	1
Sunbeams:	Primary	1
	Beginner	2

We are proud of this report, but trust we can report Y. W. A. activities and Prayer Leagues next year. Let us pray and work for Jesus' sake.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. E. Lindsey

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT 1962 - 1963

The Sunday School organization of the Ashe Association has held quarterly planning meetings to enable officers, teachers and leaders to discuss and plan ways to build better Sunday Schools through and by better methods.

The supreme business of Christianity is to win the lost to Christ. This is what churches are for. It was Christ's one supreme mission according to his words. "For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost" (Luke 19:19). "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly" (John 10:10). Surely then the Sunday School must relate itself to the winning of the lost to Christ as an ultimate objective.

Not only is this winning of the lost to Christ an all important task, it is also a most attractive task. The soul winning preachers and teachers are always attractive and never lack for hearers; and just as the throngs pressed upon Jesus when he was here, so today will people attend upon the ministry of the soul- winning preacher and soul-winning teacher. Likewise, the soul-winning church will be a popular church and the soul-winning Sunday School will draw the multitudes into its membership.

The Sunday School is an outreaching agency; its business is to bring into its membership both those who are saved and those who are lost. Let us consider anew the commanding and pressing importance of soul-winning through the Sunday School.

I am grateful to those who have served with me in the Sunday School organization of Ashe county this Associational year. May we go out this new associational year as those who followed the Apostle Paul on one occasion, a band of people with God touched hearts.

Respectfully submitted,
W. E. Burchett

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

This report is being written after the meeting of the association for incorporation into the minutes, therefore it has neither been approved nor disapproved. It is presented to you in the hope that it will be read and that it may help you to see your schools as the important instruments in the Kingdom of God they are.

Implicit in the very foundation of the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ is the

necessity of "knowing." Before the sinner is converted he must know himself to be lost and in need of salvation and that his hope is to be found in Jesus Christ. If the church is to be and do what Christ commissioned it to do it must know its message, something of how that message is to be applied in concrete life-situations and how Christ meets our deepest needs.

If our churches are to meet their responsibilities they must have leaders both in the pulpit and out of it who are able to think through the problems of life that confront us to solutions that honor Christ and extend His kingdom. Here is where our schools enter into the picture.

Some years ago our Baptist people sponsored and, to some degree at least, supported a system of education on both the high school and college levels. As the years have passed the state, through the public school system, has taken over the task of education on the high school level, and to a great extent on the college level as well. Our churches are left free, for the most part, to concentrate their efforts in their educational programs on the college and university levels. This, we feel, is a blessing with the limited resources our churches provide for this purpose.

In North Carolina we have seven colleges owned by our Baptist State Convention. Three of these schools, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, and Wingate, are two-year colleges and four, Campbell, Mars Hill, Meredith and Wake Forest, are full four-year colleges granting the basic academic degrees. Two of them, Campbell and Mars Hill, are just emerging as senior colleges, while Meredith and Wake Forest have enviable records of many years service behind them. Wake Forest also grants graduate (M.A.) and professional degrees in law and medicine.

All of these colleges are facing unprecendented challenges and opportunities. With the greater college population and emphasis on education they have more applications for admission than they can meet, and with the advent of the "community college" movement in North Carolina they face the challenge of excellence in education. They must be better schools than their competition or they cannot exist.

Our schools have many needs, some of which we are only dimly aware. Three are here emphasized that are inter-locked. First, our schools need financial support. They must provide adequate buildings and equipment for a sound instructional program and these things cannot be had without money with which to pay for them. Some of this money is provided by Baptists through the Co-operative Program, special Christian Education Day offerings, direct gifts to the school of the donor's choice, but much of it comes from non-Baptist friends and foundations, endowments, and from the alumni of the school. Second, our schools must have capable Christian faculties. A university has been defined as Mark Hopkins (the teacher) on one end of a log and the farmer boy (the student) on the other, and let it be emphasized that nothing can take the place of the teacher. However, in our stiffly competitive world the salary scale for our teachers must be considered. Before we criticize the teacher who takes a better paying salary we should ask just how much we have sacrificed for these schools. Third, our colleges need our prayerful and sympathetic concern. We are too prone to make quick judgments about issues, reports and conditions that come to our attention regarding our schools. We need to realize that the administrators, teachers, trustees and others who have responsibilities in the schools are closer to the problem than we are and that they are just as concerned about the cause of Christ and just as consecrated to Him as we are, and they deserve our prayers and support as co-laborers in Christ's Kingdom.

Perhaps a word is due in this report about the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute. It is not a part of our Christian Higher Education System, but rather a part of our State Mission Program. It is not a college nor a seminary but a Bible institute whose

purpose and program is a ministry to preachers who have entered the ministry too late in life to take advantage of our college programs. It is doing an excellent work as we know from the Fruitland men in our midst.

Respectfully submitted,
Report prepared under the direction of the Executive Committee

In Memoriam

APPLE GROVE
John Miller
BALD MOUNTAIN
Mrs. Tom Holman
BAPTIST HOME
Mr. Frank Lewis
Mr. W. J. Sturgill
BEAVER CREEK
Mrs. Grace Goodman
James Patrick
BETHEL
Mrs. Mae Trivette
BIG FLATTS
Mr. Russel L. Toliver
BLUE RIDGE
Mrs. Mary Hamby
BRISTOL
Mrs. Venie Bullins
CLIFTON
Mr. Charlie Gilly
FRIENDLY GROVE
Mr. Edd Taylor
Mr. Gene Beshears
FRIENDSHIP
Mrs. Effie Witherspoon
HEALING SPRINGS
Mrs. M. C. Grace
LANDMARK
Mr. Millard F. Denny
MIDWAY
Mr. Joe Medley
MISSION HOME
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Mr. Hoyt DeBoard
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TABLE A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

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1	Apple Grove	1889	1	1	Ted Davis, Rt. 3, Lansing	1	1			1	37	13	50	1		N	N			120
2	Bald Mountain		1	2	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville	9	1			1	92	81	173	1	1	Y				480
3	Baptist Home	1890	1	1	Albert Hill, Johnson City, Tenn.					2	19	51	70	1	2	N	N			96
4	Beaver Creek	1890	1	4	J. Elwood Goodman, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	21	8			4	119	34	153	2		N				1208
5	Bethel	1857	1	4	David Brown, Todd				13	1	67	31	98	1		N	N			450
6	Big Flats	1905	1	2	Reeves Jones, Crumpler	7	2		1	1	63	60	123	2	25	Y	N			592
7	Big Laurel	1880	1	1	Clayton Widner, Rt. 1, Glade Springs, Va.	1	1	2		1	13	18	31	2	3	N	N			300
8	Blue Ridge	1887	1	1	Gilbert Osborne, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro	1	1			3	34	45	79	1		N	N			312
9	Bristol	1888	1	2	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	2			3	1	111	72	183	1	3	Y	N			550
10	Buffalo	1869	1	2	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	4	2		6	1	98	17	115	1		N	N			675
11	Calvary	1960	3		Glenn Woodie, Jefferson	6	9				31	2	33	1						120
12	Chestnut Hill	1928	1	1	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson					1	15	56	71			N	N			180
13	Clifton	1891	1	2	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	7	4	3	1	1	63	64	139	1	3	N	N			820
14	Fairview	1940	1	1						2	21	27	48			N	N			
15	Farmer Memoral	1943	1	1	Ted Davis, Whitetop, Va.						15	30	45	1		N	N			125
16	Franklin	1932			Walter G. Powers, Darlington, Md.	28	9				162	42	204	2		N	N			1529
17	Friendly Grove	1945	1	4	W. T. Brackett, West Jefferson	1	5		1	4	127	57	184	1	25	Y	Y			1800
18	Friendship	1880	1	4	G. C. Burkett, Jefferson					2	173	30	203	1		Y	N			1300
19	Glendale	1914	1	2	Paul Phipps, Jefferson	5	3	8			49	76	125	3	9	N	N			502
20	Grassy Creek	1927	1	2	Paul Phipps, Crumpler		1		1	2	92	60	152	3	12	Y	N			1200
21	Healing Springs	1888	1	4	Paul Phipps, Jefferson	12				2	171	95	266	2		Y				1440
22	Jefferson	1953	3	4	Bill Ballou, Crumpler	4	6		1		80	5	85	1	6	N	N			1350
23	Landmark	1856	1	4	Lawrence Goodman, Todd	11				4	80	159	239	2	3	N	N			720
24	Laurel Hill	1948	1	4	W. M. Sexton, Lansing						34	7	41	1		N	N			252
25	Laurel Knob	1912	1	4						3	55	92	147	1		Y	N			960
26	Liberty Grove	1915	1	1	John Goodman, West Jefferson	1					60	10	70	1		Y	N			580
27	Liberty Hill	1907	1	1	Bill Rose, Rt. 1, West Jefferson						12	15	27	1		Y	N			175
28	Little Helton	1923	1	2	Douglas Parsons, Todd	3	3			2	89	59	148	2	1	N	N			514
29	Long Branch	1889	1	1	Carl Haga, Whitetop, Va.	3	1		1		54	65	119	2	2	N	N			444
30	Midway	1953	1	4	William E. Burchette, West Jefferson	7	4		1	2	120	19	139	2		Y				2080
31	Mission Home	1892	1	4	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville					7	65	50	115	1	18	Y	N			1200
32	Mt. Olive	1941	1	2	J. Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson	14	3	1		5	30	10	40	2		N	N			707
33	Mountain View		1	1	John Davis, Grassy Creek	6				1	36	57	93	2		Y	N			125
34	New River	1885	1	1	Fred Jennings, Independence, Va.	9	2			4	144	75	219	2	2	N	N			390
35	North Beaver	1943	1	2	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	2				5	36	30	66	1		N	N			150

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36	Oak Hill	1927	1	1	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	3	1			6	48	35	83	1		N	N			225
37	Obids	1892	1	4	A. E. Sells, Jefferson	1				4	36	57	93	1		N	N			616
38	Old Fields		1	2	Herbert McCoy, Deep Gap					5	86	37	123		10	Y	Y			2600
39	Orion	1911	1	2	J. W. Eldreth, Jefferson				3		93	12	105	1		Y	N			500
40	Peak Valley	1908	1	1	Frank Tucker, Warrensville				2		16	23	39	1	3	Y				300
41	Phoenix	1908	1	2	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville	1	2			5	44	80	124	1	6	N	N			660
42	Pilot Mountain	1806	1	4	William F. Vannoy, Rt. 1, Todd	3				1	75	45	120	2	10	N	N			325
43	Pine Mountain																			
44	Pine Swamp	1948	1	2	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	3					41	4	45	1		N	N			175
45	Pleasant Branch	1931	1	4	Lee Waddell, Grassy Creek		5			2	33	5	38			N	N			150
46	Pleasant Chapel	1941	1	1	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	1			3	2	52	25	78			N	N			275
47	Pleasant Home	1870	1	2	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek					2	70	36	106			N	N			300
48	Pleasant Valley	1926	1	2	Walter Day, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	3				5	58	34	92	2		N	N			185
49	Prosperity																			
50	Rock Creek		1	1	Glenn Woodie, Jefferson					1	30	10	40	1	4	N	N			120
51	Round Knob	1940	1	2	Tommy Salmons, Glendale Springs						65	10	75	1		N				75
52	Sabbath Home	1931	1	2	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek					1	69	27	96	1		N	N			252
53	Smethport	1923	2	2	Walter Day, West Jefferson	4	1			1	40	35	85	2						158
54	Sturgills	1933	1	2	Carl Haga, Whitetop, Va.	1	2			1	36	61	97			N	N			225
55	Three Forks	1835	1	2	Reeves Jones, Crumpler	2	9			2	51	46	97	2			N			702
56	Tuckerdale	1915	2	2	Frank Tucker, Warrensville		1	1	1	1	112	56	168	1		N	N			488
57	Valley Home	1916	1	1	Noah Johnson, Elk Knob				4		39	8	47			N	N			165
58	Wagoner	1949	1	4	A. E. Sella, Fleetwood	4		1		6	63	27	90	1		N	N			600
59	Warrensville	1929	2	4	Lynn M. Powers, Warrensville	6	3			1	108	37	145	1	15	Y	N			2600
60	Welcome Home	1935	1	1	Frank Tucker, Warrensville		2	2		1	91	8	99	1		N	N			500
61	West Jefferson		3	4	R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson	12	7			13	334	83	417	1	85	Y	Y			4500
					Totals	209	99	18	42	68	4157	2415	6595	71	248					40140

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Yeor Ending (Month) July 1963

Associotionol Superintendent _____ Address _____

	CHURCHES	Sundoy School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																						
			40 Cradle Roll	41 Nursery	42 Beginners	43 Primaries	44 Juniors	45 Intermediates	46 Young People, Single	47 Young People, Married	48 Young People, Awoy	49 Adults (25-34)	50 Adults (35-64)	51 Adults (65-up)	52 Extension Department	53 General Officers	54 Mission Sunday School Enrolment	55 Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	56 Average Attendance	57 Church V.B.S. Enr.	58 Mission V.B.S. Enr.	59 Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	60 January Bible Study? Yes or no	61 Preparation Week? (Yes or no)
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Rt. 3, Lansing			15		16					11						42					N	N
2	Bald Mountain	Dwight Houck, Rt. 1, West Jefferson			15	20	15	16					34					100	68				N	N
3	Baptist Home	M. L. Sturgill, Creston		5		6	5	10				20				2		48	35				N	N
4	Beaver Creek	J. E. Owen, Rt. 1, Todd		5	24	15	14	13	40				23			2		136	80	66		66	N	N
5	Bethel	Arvil Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson			2	3			16				25					46	27				N	N
6	Big Flats	H. V. Walker, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	4		5		5	14	24				23			3		78	40	30		30	N	N
7	Big Laurel	Glyda Roten, Rt. 1, Grayson																20	15	31		31	N	N
8	Blue Ridge	Ed. B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson			3			8	3				12	10				36	22				N	N
9	Bristol	Ralph Testerman, Jefferson			10	10	10	13	12				24					79	40	50		50	N	N
10	Buffalo	Raymond Riddle, Rt. 1, West Jefferson		4	12	12	15		20				52	12				127	82	93		93	N	N
11	Calvary	Claborn Wagoner, West Jefferson			12		10	8					15					65	45	30		30	N	N
12	Chestnut Hill	Gwyn Gambill, Crumpler		3		8			7			12	30					60	28				N	N
13	Clifton	Cecil Shoemake, Warrensville				12	10	8				12						50	40				N	N
14	Fairview																							
15	Farmer Memoral																							
16	Franklin	William Patrick, Darlington, Md.			11	12	26	22					57					118	116				N	N
17	Friendly Grove	Marvin E. Osborne, West Jefferson		14	10	5	24	20	13			50	26		8	3		170	94	82		82	N	N
18	Friendship	Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson			13	11	12	14	16			17	50	4		4		141	74	83		83	N	N
19	Glendale	Hilt Severt, Glendale Springs	4		12	18	8		6	6		20	16			7		97	67	62		62	N	N
20	Grassy Creek	Mrs. Dewey Cox, Grassy Creek			20	22	21	16	5			11	15					110	90	48		48	N	N
21	Healing Springs	Richard N. Neaves, Grassy Creek				12	14	12	19				97					154	78	56		56	N	N
22	Jefferson	Richard Blackburn, Jefferson			12	8	14	15	2			18	22	3		11		105					Y	N
23	Landmark	June Blackburn, Rt. 2, Lansing	3			3	6	12	16	2	4	20	18					84	55				N	N
24	Laurel Hill	Oscar Richardson, Rugby, Va.			5	5	4	11	3	4		3	8	6		4		58	34				N	N
25	Laurel Knob	Joe Edwards, Rt. 1, Todd			4	6	5		10			6	13					44	38	37		37	N	N
26	Liberty Grove	Clayton Richardson, Fleetwood			1	1	2	2	8	6		1	21	8				50	32				Y	N
27	Liberty Hill																							
28	Little Helton						9		20	9	3		22	2		3		77	43	46		46	N	N
29	Long Branch	Hoover Eldreth, Lansing		3	5	4	12					12						36	30				N	N
30	Midway	Jack Miller, West Jefferson			11	7	12	15	15		15	25	24					124	82	76		76		N
31	Mission Home	Tommy Hardin, West Jefferson		3	12		12	11		20			50					78	53	42		42	Y	N
32	Mt. Olive	Jack Surber, Rt. 1, Todd		2	2	2	6	7	6	9		5	16	11		7		64	35	55		55	Y	N
33	Mountain View	Delmer Smiley, Grayson																35	20				N	N
34	New River	R. D. Brown, Crumpler			13	10	19	17				25	38	16				138	92	69		69	N	N
35	North Beaver	Mrs. James McNeill, Rt. 2, West Jefferson			3	3	5	6					12					29	26				N	N

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL (CONTINUED)

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Year Ending (Month) July 1963

Associational Superintendent _____ Address _____

	CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																				
			40 Cradle Roll	41 Nursery	42 Beginners	43 Primaries	44 Juniors	45 Intermediates	46 Young People, Single	47 Young People, Married	48 Young People, Army	49 Adults (25-34)	50 Adults (35-64)	51 Adults (65-up)	52 Extension Department	53 General Officers	54 Mission Sunday School Enrolment	55 Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	56 Average Attendance	57 Church V.B.S. Enr.	58 Mission V.B.S. Enr.	59 Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	60 January, Bible Study? Yes or no	61 Preparation Week? (Yes or no)
36	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing		3	6	5	11	13				15		7				60	42				N	N
37	Obids	Mrs. Glenn South, Rt. 2, West Jefferson		3		6	6	12					15			3		45	20	39		39	Y	N
38	Old Fields	Clark Church, Deep Gap			9	5	5	19	7	1	2	3	29	8				88	60					
39	Orion	Wiley Lambert, Jefferson	3	2	2	6	10	8	6	12		6	10	5				70	45	31		31	N	N
40	Peak Valley	Glen McCoy, Creston			5		6				2		13					26	19					
41	Phoenix	F. L. Barker Jr., West Jefferson		9	5	10	8	10	8	15		6	24	8	4	3		110	56	63		63	Y	N
42	Pilot Mountain	Odis L. Greene, Deep Gap		2		10	13	8				12	21			6		72	55				N	N
43	Pine Mountain																							
44	Pine Swamp	Howard Blackburn, Rt. 2, West Jefferson			6	8	6	10	10				20					60	40	35		35	N	N
45	Pleasant Branch	Florance Young, Rugby, Va.																40	30	31		31		N
46	Pleasant Chapel																							
47	Pleasant Home	Arthur F. Pasley Jr., Rt. 2, Grassy Creek		2	2	2	2	4	14		4	1	20	5				56	35	27		27	N	N
48	Pleasant Valley	Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek		2			8	10					20			5		45	35				N	N
49	Prosperity																							
50	Rock Creek	Gordon Roark, Rt. 1, Creston		11	5	4	14	7	3	9		6	16	12		5		92	40	48		48	N	N
51	Round Knob	Clifford Smith, Fleetwood			21		13					23						57					N	N
52	Sabbath Home																							
53	Smethport	Lillard Turner, Rt. 1, West Jefferson			15		15	10					25			5		70	40	17		17		N
54	Sturgills	Paul Weaver, Lansing			6	8	14		20		22							70	43				N	N
55	Three Forks	Johnny Roten, Grayson			9	9	14	14					25			5		76	49				N	N
56	Tuckerdale	Ora Sullivan, Rt. 3, Lansing			7	17	21	13	17			25	10					110	86	95		95	N	N
57	Valley Home	Herman Greer, Todd			3		8	4					10			6		31	18	17		17	N	N
58	Wagoner	George E. Liddle, Rt. 1, Jefferson		8	15	10	8	10	9	4		6	25	7				102	60	62		62	Y	N
59	Warrensville	John M. Burkett, Warrensville			5	6	15		15			10	16			2		69	50	50		50	Y	N
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. C. A. Goodman, Crumpler			10	12	10		20				25					77					N	N
61	West Jefferson	Wade E. Vannoy Sr., West Jefferson		24	21	46	55	31	21	16		46	101		6	3		370	186	177		179	Y	Y
		Totals	14	105	384	379	573	453	411	113	52	427	1168	124	18	89		4395	2590			1650		

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Year Ending (Month) July 1963

Associational Director D. C. Severt Address West Jefferson

	CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT														
			62 Nursery	63 Beginners	64 Primaries	65 Juniors	66 Intermediates	67 Young People, Single	68 Young People, Married	69 Adults (25-34)	70 Adults (35-64)	71 Adults (65-over)	72 General Officers	73 Mission Enrolment	74 Grand Total Training Union Enrolment	75 Average Attendance	76 Observe Youth Week (Yes or no)
1	Beaver Creek	William Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd		18		16	13	16	17		18				99		N
2	Bristol	Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson		3	3	5	8	10			8		4		41	20	N
3	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Alene Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson		6		7	9	11		18					51	29	Y
4	Friendship	Grover Marsh, Rt. 1, Jefferson		5		6	5	3			15		6		40	20	N
5	Grassy Creek	E. R. Blevins, Grassy Creek		8	10	8	15				4	4			49		N
6	Jefferson	Howard Dickson, West Jefferson		1	2	2	2	1			14				21		N
7	Little Helton	Wilford Porter, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek				3	13			12					28		N
8	Midway	Mrs. Howard Jones, West Jefferson				9	5			11	8				60	33	N
9	Mission Home	James A. Grogan, Rt. 1, Todd		2	6	4	4				10	10	3		39	21	N
10	Old Fields	Steven Church, Deep Gap				4	7	11	5			10	2		39	23	
11	Orion	Wade Bare, West Jefferson	1	2	3	5	4	3	2	6	5				31	21	
12	Warrensville	William F. Ellen, Warrensville	3	1	3	8	4	8	3	5	10				53	38	N
13	West Jefferson	Hoyle Stringer, West Jefferson		4	12	20	17			16	14		3		87	47	
		Totals	4	50	39	97	106	63	27	68	106	24	18		638	252	

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Year Ending (Month) July 1963

Associational Brotherhood President Guy T. Shatley Address Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	Chrm. R. A. Committee and Addresses	32A No. Crusader Chapters	32B Crusaders (9-11 yrs.) Enrolment	33A No. Pioneer Chapters	33B Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrolment	34A No. Ambassador Chapters	34B Ambassadors (15-17 yrs.) Enrolment	35B Total RA Enrolment	36B Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	37B Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	38B Total Men	39B Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Page E. Norris, West Jefferson	Bill Hardin, West Jefferson	1	8	1	8	1	6	22		10		32
2	Warrensville	Eugene Goss, Warrensville										20		20
3	West Jefferson	Emmitt Absher, West Jefferson	Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson	1	12	1	6			18		15		33
			Totals	2	20	2	14	1	6	40		45		85

TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Year Ending (Month) July 1963

Associational President Mrs. C. F. Lindsay Address Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	WMU Presidents and Addresses	90 Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	91 Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	92 Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	93 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Organizations	94 Junior GA Organizations	95 Intermediate GA Organizations	96 Ungraded GA Organizations	97 High School YWA Organizations	98 Career Girls' YWA Organizations	99 Ungraded YWA Organizations	100 WMS Organizations	101 Grand Total Organizations	102 Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	103 Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	104 Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	105 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Enrolment	106 Junior GA Enrolment	107 Intermediate GA Enrolment	108 Ungraded GA Enrolment	109 High School YWA Enrolment	110 Career Girls' YWA Enrolment	111 Ungraded YWA Enrolment	112 WMS Enrolment	113 Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Doris Sheets, Rt. 1, Jefferson					1	1					1	3					9	9					38	46
2	Friendship	Mrs. Wayne Ferguson, Jefferson											1	1											15	15
3	Jefferson	Mrs. Onley Burgess, Jefferson											1	1											9	9
4	Midway	Mrs. Betty Jo Hart, West Jefferson																								
5	Mission Home	Mrs. Lucy L. Brown, Fleetwood											1	1											18	18
6	Old Fields				1								1	2				10							18	28
7	Phoenix	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Lansing											1	1												
8	Wagoner	Ruby Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson											1	1											25	25
9	Warrensville	Mrs. Paul Ashley, Warrensville											1	1											16	16
10	West Jefferson	Mrs. Sam Davis, West Jefferson		1	1		1	1					1	5		6	14		14	8					87	129
		Totals		1	1		2	2					9	16		6	14	10	23	17					251	286

TABLE I TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Yeor Ending (Month) July 1963

Associotionol Treosurer McDaniel Harless Address West Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	146 Total Receipts for All Purposes	147 Pastor's Salary	148 Other Church Staff Salaries	149 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	150 All Other Local Expenses	151 Grand Total Local Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Rt. 3, Lansing	283	120			95	215
2	Bald Mountain	Earl Hopkins, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	1939	579			1653	2232
3	Baptist Home	T. R. Sturgill, Creston	128				24	24
4	Beaver Creek	Paul R. Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd	3319	1208			2041	3249
5	Bethel	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	812	450			274	724
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd	3659	592			2951	3543
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Grayson	588	300			150	450
8	Blue Ridge	Ed. B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	749	312			249	561
9	Bristol	Minnie Lee Day, Jefferson	1652	550			850	1400
10	Buffalo	Mrs. Arthur Harless, West Jefferson	2858	675			2316	2991
11	Calvary	Robert N. Lewis, West Jefferson	699	80			394	474
12	Chestnut Hill	Spencer Brown, Rt. 1, Crumpler	390	180			185	365
13	Clifton	John Little, Warrensville	2000	640			1514	2154
14	Fairview	Guy Teaster, Grassy Creek						
15	Farmer Memoral	Gray Farmer, Rt. 2, Whitetop, Va.	156	125			25	150
16	Franklin	Nora E. Patrick, Darlington, Md.	3594	1529			656	2194
17	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Grace Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	6340	1800			1907	3707
18	Friendship	Mrs. John Witherspoon, Jefferson	4850	1300			2915	4215
19	Glendale	Mamie R. Miller, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	1383	502			244	746
20	Grassy Creek	W. Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek	3138	1320			1320	2640
21	Healing Springs	Mrs. Annie Neaves, Crumpler	4439	1440			2561	4001
22	Jefferson	Mrs. Lola Porter, Jefferson	3579	1350			2179	3521
23	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Rt. 2, Lansing	1188	720			255	975
24	Laurel Hill	Nella Smith, Rugby	643	252			361	613
25	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Ruth Holman, West Jefferson	1883	960			732	1692
26	Liberty Grove	Earl Taylor, Todd	1505	582			457	1039
27	Liberty Hill	Mrs. Ted Sheets, Jefferson	580	175			400	575
28	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	650	515			375	890
29	Long Branch	Irene Eldreth, Lansing	1067	444			623	1067
30	Midway	Loyd Witherspoon, West Jefferson	5544	2080			1950	4030
31	Mission Home	S. B. Howell, Fleetwood	2251	1200			864	2064
32	Mt. Olive	Miss Betty Surger, Rt. 1, Todd	1689	210			1266	1476
33	Mountain View	Delmer Smiley, Garyson						
34	New River	G. H. Pugh, Rt. 1, Crumpler	1675	390			1001	1391
35	North Beaver	Ruby Hurley, West Jefferson	357	150			119	269

TABLE I TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Year Ending (Month) July 1963

Associational Treasurer McDaniel Harless Address West Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	146 Total Receipts for All Purposes	147 Pastor's Salary	148 Other Church Staff Salaries	149 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	150 All Other Local Expenses	151 Grand Total Local Expenditures
36	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing.	697	225			378	603
37	Obids	Mrs. Gladys F. Dillard, West Jefferson	1330	616			434	1050
38	Old Fields	Mrs. Cecil Yates, Deep Gap	3247	1600			1111	2711
39	Orion	Wade Bare, Jefferson	1713	500			955	1455
40	Peak Valley	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Creston	824	300			271	571
41	Phoenix	Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing	3486	660			2594	3254
42	Pilot Mountain	Odis L. Greene, Deep Gap	1456	327			1035	1362
43	Pine Mountain							
44	Pine Swamp	Eula Hartzog, West Jefferson	617	175			230	405
45	Pleasant Branch	Grassy Creek	1355	149			950	1099
46	Pleasant Chapel	Chester Elliott, Lansing	370	275			25	300
47	Pleasant Home	Arthur F. Pasley Jr., Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	825	300			234	534
48	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	402	185			207	392
49	Prosperity							
50	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Rt. 1, Croston	500	120			150	270
51	Round Knob	Miss Annie Cox, Jefferson	265	75			176	251
52	Sabbath Home	Lester Eldreth, Rt. 1, Lansing	300	252			23	275
53	Smethport	Mrs. Ola Day, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	459	158			262	420
54	Sturgills	Edward Sturgill, Lansing	509	225			97	322
55	Three Forks	Mrs. Edgar Mahala, Creston	2531	702			1358	2060
56	Tuckerdale	Ronda Powers, Rt. 3, Lansing	1827	488			1198	1636
57	Valley Home	Mrs. Grace Perkins, Todd	240	163			77	240
58	Wagoner	Mrs. Geo. C. Bower, Rt. 1, Jefferson	1746	600			815	1415
59	Warrensville	Harold Ashley, Warrensville	5900	2500			3226	5726
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. Earl Goodman, Crumpler	1467	500			926	1426
61	West Jefferson	B. F. Cook, West Jefferson	27640	4500	1750		18048	24298
		Totals	125293	38292	1750		107712	107725

TABLE J MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Yeor Ending (Month) July 1963

Associotionol Missionory Address

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	152 Cooperative Program	153 Associational Missions	154 Designated State Missions	155 Designated Home Mission Board	156 Designated Foreign Mission Board	157 Designated Christian Education, Schools	158 Designated Children's Homes	159 Designated Hospitals	160 Designated Homes for Aged	161 Other designated objects, Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.	162 Total Mission Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Rt. 3, Lansing		48					7	13			68
2	Bald Mountain	Dean Lawrence, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	25	45	22				40	33	35		200
3	Baptist Home	Wilma Sturgill, Creston											
4	Beaver Creek	Mrs. Rosalie Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd		24		11	141		25	50			251
5	Bethel	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson		48					17	24			89
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd	44	29	6		32	5	81	38	2	5	242
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Grayson	7						40	60			107
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson		70					100	40		23	233
9	Bristol	Mrs. Lessie Rotand, Jefferson			20		30		35	50	30		165
10	Buffalo	Roby Swift, West Jefferson	23	60			30		96	81			290
11	Calvary	Mrs. Arlene Woodie, Jefferson	28	35	6				7	19		12	107
12	Chestnut Hill	J. Gwyn Gambill, Crumpler	5	5						15			25
13	Clifton	Mrs. Mary Lee Hartsoe, Warrensville							102	32			134
14	Fairview	Mamie Pasley, Grassy Creek											
15	Farmer Memoral	Ada Farmer, Rt. 2, Whitetop, Va.								6			6
16	Franklin	Dorothy M. Belcher, Bx. 273, Forest Hill, Md.							20	31			51
17	Friendly Grove	McDaniel Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	442	374	119	27	166		178	139		162	1607
18	Friendship	Clifford C. Marsh, Jefferson	471	180		40	196		105	140			1132
19	Glendale	Mamie L. Miller, Rt. 2, West Jefferson							24	44			68
20	Grassy Creek	Mrs. Dixie McKeever, Mouth of Wilson, Va.	150	100	25		75		100	100	25		575
21	Healing Springs	Mrs. Thelma Fender, Crumpler	107	120			29		83	100			439
22	Jefferson	Mrs. Paul Swanson, West Jefferson	10	10					50				70
23	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Rt. 2, Lansing	25	84					50	50	10		219
24	Laurel Hill	Barbara Davis, Rugby							10	20			30
25	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Myrtle Edwards, Rt. 1, Todd	48	58					20	30			156
26	Liberty Grove	Mrs. Marshall Perkins, Todd	24	50	8	9	5	5	40	48	12	10	211
27	Liberty Hill	Ovid Woodruff, Crumpler							5				5
28	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	14	42	12				18	16	10		112
29	Long Branch	John Welch, Lansing								5			5
30	Midway	Paul Phillips, West Jefferson	50	65	12	13	25	5	50	50	10	5	220
31	Mission Home	Garland Grogan, Rt. 1, Todd	57	66	25	34	55	20	60	60	25		402
32	Mt. Olive	Ann Winebarger, Rt. 1, Todd							25	25		48	98
33	Mountain View	Beulah Wyatt, Grayson											
34	New River	G. H. Pugh, Rt. 1, Crumpler	56	50					223	49	22	35	435
35	North Beaver	Mrs. Jackie Miller, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	48						25	15			88

TABLE J MISSION EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)

ASSOCIATION Ashe State N. C.

For Year Ending (Month) July 1963

Associational Missionary _____ Address _____

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	152 Cooperative Program	153 Associational Missions	154 Designated: State Missions	155 Designated: Home Mission Board	156 Designated: Foreign Mission Board	157 Designated Christian Education, Schools	158 Designated Children's Homes	159 Designated Hospitals	160 Designated: Homes for Aged	161 Other designated objects: Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.	162 Total Mission Expenditures
36	Oak Hill	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2, Lansing		48									
37	Obids	Mrs. Nettie McNeill, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	10	43			13			20			86
38	Old Fields	J. T. Hamby, Fleetwood	150	124	38	30	100	20	44	40	10		546
39	Orion	Mrs. W. H. Dillard, Jefferson	62	112					51	33			258
40	Peak Valley	Mrs. Glen McCoy, Creston	48	30			30		25	40			173
41	Phoenix	Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing	54	60	12		25		85	34	22		232
42	Pilot Mountain	Howard Parsons, Rt. 1, Boone		12					23	22	7		64
43	Pine Mountain												
44	Pine Swamp	Howard Hartzog, Fleetwood		12					40	10			62
45	Pleasant Branch	Reedy, Grassy Creek	10						70	30			110
46	Pleasant Chapel	Clarence Greer, Rt. 1, Lansing							50	20			70
47	Pleasant Home	Mrs. Doris Woodruff, Rt. 1, Grassy Creek	7	123					157	87			274
48	Pleasant Valley	Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek		10									10
49	Prosperity												
50	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Rt. 1, Creston		20				5	7	20	5		57
51	Round Knob	Mrs. Martha Cox, Fleetwood								13			13
52	Sabbath Home	Thomas Hamm, Rt. 1, Lansing							45	20			65
53	Smethport	Ola Day, Rt. 1, West Jefferson							25	18			43
54	Sturgills	Edward Sturgill, Lansing		30					73	22		52	177
55	Three Forks	G. Everette Lewis, Creston	18	29	10				29	29	14		129
56	Tuckerdale	Lessie Clark, Rt. 3, Lansing	35	25					65	66			191
57	Valley Home	Herman Greer, Todd											
58	Wagoner	Mrs. Betty Seymour, Rt. 1, Jefferson	27	25			13			14			79
59	Warrensville	Roy Ashley, Warrensville	50	50	7	15	80		11				213
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. Louise Witherspoon, Jefferson							20	20			40
61	West Jefferson	Mrs. Lola S. Hughes, West Jefferson	3536	800	87	225	1012		239	371	75	50	6395
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Guy T. Shatley ..... Treasurer

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The next session will be held with
Sturgills Baptist Church
August 12, 1965
South Beaver Creek Baptist Church
August 13, 1965

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DEDICATION

These minutes are dedicated to the memory of

E.C. Eller

Joe Johnson

Rev.R.L. Dolinger

DIRECTORY

Associational Directory

Moderator ..... George West, Grassy Creek, N. C.
Vice Moderator ..... Rev. R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.
Clerk ..... F. L. Barker, Jr., West Jefferson, N. C.
Treasurer ..... Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.
Superintendent of Missions ..... Rev. Lynn M. Powers, West Jefferson, N. C.
Sunday School Superintendent ..... Rev. R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Training Union Director ..... William F. Eller, West Jefferson, N. C.
W.M.U. President ..... Mrs. C. E. Lindsey, Jefferson, N. C.
Brotherhood President ..... Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N. C.
Chairman of Evangelism ..... W. T. Brackett, West Jefferson, N. C.
Moderator of Ministerial Conference ..... R. C. Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.
Director of Music Committee ..... Mrs. Cecil Shoaf, Warrensville, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

3 year term:	Onley Burgess, Jefferson, N. C.
	Bobby Bare, Healing Springs, N. C.
	Eddie Duncan, Jefferson, N. C.
2 year term:	Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chairman, Jefferson, N. C.
	B. W. Miller, Lansing, N. C.
	Rev. R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
1 year term:	Rev. J. H. Gentry, West Jefferson, N. C.
	Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
	Rev. Frank Tucker, West Jefferson, N. C.

COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES

Rev. W. E. Denny, Crumpler, N. C.
Rev. Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.
Rev. R. C. Ashley, Lansing, N. C.
D. C. Severt, West Jefferson, N. C.
James Vannoy
Walter Poe

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Rev. R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
John Goodman, West Jefferson, N. C.
Jack Miller, West Jefferson, N. C.
Richard Neaves, Crumpler, N. C.
Roby Swift, Jefferson, N. C.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Guy T. Shatley, Treasurer, Jefferson, N. C.
Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek, N. C.
Lloyd Witherspoon, West Jefferson, N. C.
B. F. Cook, West Jefferson, N. C.
Sanford Howell, Fleetwood, N. C.

PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE

W. E. Denny, Chairman, Crumpler, N. C.
Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N. C.
Frank Tucker, Warrensville, N. C.
Lawrence Goodman, Alternate, Todd, N. C.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE

B. W. Miller, Chairman, Lansing, N. C.
R. R. Campbell, West Jefferson
Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
Onley Burgess, Jefferson, N. C.
Eddie Duncan, West Jefferson, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State, Home, Foreign Missions ..... Rev. John Goodman
Children's Home ..... Rev. Roe Pasley
Hospital ..... Rev. J. Herman Gentry
Pastors' Salary and Retirement ..... Mrs. W. T. Whittington
Home for Aging ..... Mrs. F. L. Waddell
Christian Education ..... F. L. Barker, Jr.
Christian Literature ..... Richard Blackburn
American Bible Society ..... Rev. G. C. Burkett
Temperance & Public Morals ..... B. H. Duncan
Evangelism ..... Rev. W. T. Brackett
Associational Missions ..... Rev. Lynn Powers
Sunday School ..... Rev. R. R. Campbell
Training Union ..... William F. Eller
W.M.U. ..... Mrs. C. E. Lindsey
Brotherhood ..... Guy T. Shatley
Ministerial Conference ..... Rev. W. T. Brackett
Music Committee ..... Mrs. Cecil Shoaf
Vacation Bible School ..... Miss Mary Jordan

W.M.U. OFFICERS

President ..... Mrs. C. E. Lindsey, Jefferson, N. C.
Associate President ..... Mrs. W. T. Whittington, Jefferson, N. C.
Secretary & Treasurer ..... Mrs. Harold Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.
YWA Director ..... Mrs. Hoyle Stringer, West Jefferson, N. C.
G. A. Director ..... Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, N. C.
Sunbeam Director ..... Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N.C.
Stewardship Director ..... Mrs. Herbert McCoy, Deep Gap, N. C.
Prayer Chairman ..... Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Missions Study Chairman ..... Mrs. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N. C.
Community Missions Chairman ..... Mrs. A. M. Frazier, West Jefferson, N. C.

TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director ..... William F. Eller, West Jefferson, N. C.
Associate Director ..... D. C. Severt, West Jefferson, N. C.
Pastor Advisor ..... W. E. Burchette, West Jefferson, N. C.
Chorister ..... Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson, N. C.
Pianist ..... Miss Maureen Shoaf, Warrensville, N. C.
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Mrs. T. D. Watson, West Jefferson, N. C.

DEPARTMENTAL LEADERS

Nursery ..... Mrs. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Beginner ..... Mrs. Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N. C.
Primary ..... Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.
Junior ..... Mrs. Tommy Johnson, West Jefferson, N. C.
Intermediate ..... Mrs. Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N. C.
Young People ..... Mr. Tommy Johnson, West Jefferson, N.C.
Adults ..... Rev. J.H. Gentry, West Jefferson, N.C.

GROUP LEADERS

Group I ..... Rev. Reeves Jones, Crumpler, N.C.
Group II ..... Mr. Frank Roten, Lansing, N.C.
Group III ..... Mrs. Arthur Pasley, Grassy Creek, N.C.
Group IV ..... Mrs. Lenad Hudler, West Jefferson, N.C.

Group V ..... Mr. Sanford Howell, Fleetwood, N.C.
Group VI ..... Mr. Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N.C.

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC OFFICERS

Music Director ..... Mrs. Cecil Shoaf, Warrensville, N.C.
Pastor-Advisor ..... G.C. Burkett, Jefferson, N.C.
Director of Instrumental Activities ..... Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson
Director of Training ..... Mrs. J.H. Gentry, West Jefferson
Director of Congregational Activities ..... Mr. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson
Director of Graded Choir Activities ..... Miss Nancy Dillard, Jefferson
Director of Publicity and Promotion ..... Mrs. Harold Ashley, Warrensville

BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS

President ..... Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson, N.C.
Vice President ..... Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N.C.
Advisory Council ..... R.R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N.C.
G.C. Burkett, Jefferson, N.C.
Bill Ballou, Jefferson, N.C.
Secretary ..... Lynn Powers, West Jefferson, N.C.
R.A. Leader ..... Bill Hardin, West Jefferson, N.C.
Christian Witness Leader ..... John Burkett, Warrensville, N.C.
World Missions Leader ..... Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N.C.
Personal Stewardship Leader ..... Harold Ashley, Warrensville, N.C.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent ..... R.R. Campbell, West Jefferson, N.C.
Superintendent of Training ..... John F. Goodman, West Jefferson, N.C.
Superintendent of Evangelism and Enlargement ..... G.C. Burkett, Jefferson, N.C.
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mrs. Harold Ashley, Warrensville, N. C.
V.B.S. Superintendent ..... Miss Mary Jordan, Todd, N.C.
Chorister ..... Howard Jones, West Jefferson, N.C.
Pianist ..... Miss Jerrie Campbell, West Jefferson, N.C.

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS

Extension ..... Mrs. W.T. Whittington, Jefferson, N.C.
Cradle Roll ..... Mrs. W.T. Whittington, Jefferson, N.C.
Nursery ..... Mrs. Don Blackburn, Jefferson, West Jefferson Church, N.C.
Beginner ..... Mrs. Raymond Elliott, West Jefferson, Mission Home Church
Primary ..... Mrs. Grover Shatley, Jefferson, Friendship Church, N.C.
Junior ..... John D. Cook, West Jefferson, N.C.
Intermediate ..... Mrs. Louise Hoosier, Jefferson, Bristol Church, N.C.
Young People ..... Mrs. Bill Eller, Todd, N.C.
Adults ..... Richard Neaves, Crumpler, Healing Springs Church

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS

Group I ..... R.D. Brown, Grassy Creek, N.C.
Group II ..... Rev. Larry Leftler, Warrensville, N.C.
Group III ..... Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek, N.C.
Group IV ..... Eddie Duncan, West Jefferson, N.C.
Group V ..... Clark Church, Fleetwood, N.C.
Group VI ..... Grover Shatley, Jefferson, N.C.

CONSTITUTION

Article I Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communities closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken as may be decided upon by the Association.

Article II Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in co-operation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. The Moderator (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) shall preside over all the sessions of the Association, preserve order, and perform such other duties as are required of presiding officers.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the preceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. The Associational Missionary shall work with the Churches in promoting the program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and the Southern Baptist Convention and promoting the enlistment of the Churches in the cooperative support of the causes fostered by said bodies and under the direction of the Executive Committee of the Association.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational Missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Article V Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three for one year, three for two years, three for three years, and at the expiration of each term, for a period of three years. After the completion of one term no member shall be eligible for re-election to this committee until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this committee may be chosen from any one church of the Association. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to co-operate with the officers and pastors of the Association and the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and with the Southern Baptist Convention in promoting and advancing the work of the denomination within the bounds of the Association; to act for the Association in any necessary matter between sessions; to supervise and direct the work of the Associational Missionary; to perform any other duties that may be designated by the Association; and to make a report to the Association at each annual session. Vacancies occuring in this committee shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct tne organization of new churches in accordance withthe rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed or mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister, to deliver the Associational Sermon, and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be

appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Committees named in this article shall be elected by the Association on the first day of each annual session unless otherwise here-in-before provided. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members to suggest the composition of said committees and their election shall be by the Association.

Article VI Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening on Thursday before the third Sunday in August of each year at such place as may be designated by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as hereinbefore provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII Power and Prerogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowship from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.
2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God

and the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.
4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.
6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgement.
9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.
2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.
3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.
4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.
5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES

The Ashe Missionary Baptist Association opened its seventy-eighth session on August 20, 1964, at the Tuckerdale Baptist Church. The session was opened with devotional led by the host pastor, Rev. Frank Tucker.

MODERATOR'S PERIOD:

Seating of Messengers

Rev. R. C. Ashley elected to serve as Pro. Ten. for the two day session.

On motion Green Chapel church was received into the Association.

ASSOCIATION:

Visitors Recognized:

Rev. Clayton Widner, Lebedon Association, Damascus, Va.

Rev. W. H. Caldwell, Brushy Mountain Association.

Mrs. Fred Fields, Alabama

NEW PASTORS:

David Brown, Pleasant Home and Orion

Larry Lefer, Warrensville, N.C.

Rev. Sam Testerman, Chesnut Hill Baptist

Rev. Archie Clawson, Mission Home

The following committees were named by the moderator:

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE:

F. L. Baker, Jr.

Rev. W. T. Brackett

Rev. David Brown

COMMITTEE ON PLACE AND PREACHERS:

Rev. W. E. Denny

Rev. Reeves Jones

Rev. Frank Tucker

REPORTS:

On motion the report of the Executive Board was read and approved.

The Missionary report was ready by the Chairman of the Executive Board and adopted.

The Treasurer's Report read and adopted.

Finance Committee report read on motion and adopted.

Words of appreciation for the work of the Finance Committee was expressed by the Missionary, Rev. L.M. Powers. Also for the work of the Executive Board. Ira T. Johnson expressed words of encouragement in the work of the Association.

Report of the Nominating Committee read and adopted.

On motion the Missions Committee would be chosen by the Executive Board.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

Rev. G.C. Burkett persiding - Brother George West was nominated and elected Moderator; Rev. R.C. Ashley, nominated and elected Vice-Moderator; F.L. Barker, Jr. nominated and elected Clerk.

Motion was made that the office of clerk and treasurer be divided and held by two different people. Motion carried.

On motion the election of the Treasurer was postponed until Friday.

Congregational Hymn.

Sunday School report was read by Rev. R.R. Campbell and adopted.

Report on Bible School read by Miss Mary Jordan and adopted.

Training Union Report read by D.C. Severt and adopted.

Report of W.M.U. read by Mrs. Edith S. Lindsey and adopted.

Report on Music read by Miss Maureen Shoaf and adopted.

Recognitions:

Visitors Recognized: Mr. Lamb, Gardner Webb College, Rev. Ambrose Miller, Grayson, Va.

Former Moderator Rev. W.E. Denny was recognized and given time to speak to the Association.

Congregational Hymn and prayer led by Brother Clayton Widner.

Associational message, Rev. Paul Phipps.

Announcements, Rev. Frank Tucker.

After a very delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session with devotions being led by Rev. Ted Davis, and special music rendered by Miss Maureen Shoaf and Mr. Guy T. Shatley.

Rev. L.M. Powers read the proposed change in the Constitution Amendment, Section 2, Article 5. This proposed change was carried from the 1963 session. The amendment was discussed by Rev. Herbert McCoy. The change of the amendment was defeated by a vote of 19 for and 45 against.

Motion was made by Rev. W.E. Denny that the Executive Board notify all churches of the Meetings. Motion Amended by Ira T. Johnson to read: That the Executive Board meet jointly with the Pastors' Conference, Quarterly. The motion was carried.

Miscellaneous business and announcements.

Report on Christian Education read by F.L. Barker, Jr., discussed by Ben Fisher, Mr. Lynch and Mr. Lamb, motion to adopt report.

Report on State, Home and Foreign Missions read by Rev. W.E. Denny, and adopted.

Report on Christian Literature to be presented in the minutes as sent in. Report discussed by Rev. Ben Fisher, and adopted.

Associational Message, Rev. Frank Ingram.

Motion to adjourn for the day.

The second day's session of the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association met Friday, August 21, 1964 at the Mission Home Baptist Church, Fleetwood, N.C. The devotional service was led by Rev. R.C. Ashley, host pastor.

Recognition of visitors: Rev. L.H. Hollingsworth, Wake Forest, N.C.; Rev. Gordon Maddery, Baptist Foundations, Raleigh, N.C.; Rev. Archie Clawson, Boone, N.C. Visitors recognized from Popular Cove Church

The Stewardship Promotion Program of the Association was presented by Rev. Lynn Powers and on motion was adopted.

Brother Guy T. Shatley was nominated and elected as treasurer of the Association.

Report of Nominating Committee was read by Rev. L.M. Powers and adopted.

Rev. W.E. Denny offered his resignation on the Standing Committee. Resignation accepted. Rev. John Goodman was nominated and elected to fill this vacancy.

Motion was made and adopted that the Nominating Committee be appointed by the Moderator and presented in the minutes.

On motion a note of appreciation was made to Brother McDaniel Harless and Brother D.C. Severt for their many years of service to the Association.

Report on Public Morals was read by B.H. Duncan and adopted.

Report on Evangelism was read and discussed by Rev. W.T. Brackett, and Rev. L.H. Hollingsworth, report adopted.

Congregational Hymn.

The Associational Message was delivered by Brother Harold White.

Report on Ministeral Conference was read and discussed by Rev. W.T. Brackett, report adopted.

Report on Pastors' Salaries and Ministerial Retirement was read and discussed by Mrs. W.T. Whittington, and adopted.

Rev. L.H. Hollingsworth spoke on Christian Education.

Gordon Maddrey brought the message on the Baptist Foundation.

Report on American Bible Society read by Rev. G. C. Burkett, report adopted.

Congregational Hymn.

Missionary Address by Rev. H.M. Winkler.

After a very delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session. The service was led by Rev. David Brown.

Brother G.C. Burkett made the motion that the minutes be dedicated to Brothers E.C. Eller, Joe Johnston, and Rev. Lee Dolinger. Motion carried.

Rev. L.M. Powers brought an inspiring message from the topic "Why Missions."

The report on the Baptist Hospital was read and adopted.

Report from the Baptist Children's Home read and discussed by Lowell Sodaman. Report adopted.

Report on Children's Home was read. It was discussed by Roger Williams, Pastor of Mills Home Church. Report adopted.

Report on Home for the Aged was read by Mrs. F.L. Waddell. Discussed by Mr. Poole and adopted.

Congregational Hymn.

Report on Place and Preachers was read and follows: First day Sturgills Baptist Church, Sturgills, N.C.; second day South Beaver Creek Church. Preachers - Rev. Lawrence Goodman, alternate Rev. Bill Ballou.

Resolutions read by Rev. W.T. Brackett and adopted.

On motion $50.00 was to be taken from the miscellaneous funds in the Budget for the Treasurer. Motion carried.

On motion the Association adjourned with the closing of the Memorial Service led by Rev. R.R. Campbell.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT 1963-64

Whereas, the churches of the Ashe Association have had the opportunity to meet in its seventy-eighth annual session on August 21, 1964 at the Tuckerdale Baptist Church and on August 22, at the Mission Home Baptist Church.

Be it therefore resolved that we give thanks to: The host churches, their pastors and members who so wonderfully provided for our comfort and needs; to everyone who appeared on the program, our local people and also those from other areas of the State, for all the information we received from the reports, the great inspiration and challenge from the messages; to everyone for their time given throughout the Associational Year in helping to carry the work forward; to Mr. D. C. Severt for his forty-two years of faithful service as Director of Training Union. Brother Severt has done a great work in these forty-two years helping to lead the churches to organize and carry on the training of our people; to Mr. McDaniel Harless for his eleven years of service as the Associational Clerk and Treasurer. There have been trying times when churches were slow sending their reports and money, yet, by his faithfulness to God and to the Association, this work has gone forward; to our Heavenly Father for His love and the many blessings each of us have received. We show our thanks to Him by obeying His command to tell others in our communities and around the world of His wonderful love for them.

Respectfully submitted,
W.T. Brackett, Chairman
David Brown , F. L. Baker, Jr.

REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Nominating Committee appointed by the Moderator for 1964

Chairman:	Rev. Paul Phipps	Ray Taylor
	Rev. Frank Tucker	Rev. Bill Ballou
	Carl D. Bare	

Resolutions Committee: F. L. Barker, Jr. Rev. W. E. Burchette
John Cook Alt. - W. T. Brackett

Nominations to be made by the Nominating Committee

3 Executive Committee Members:
3 year term
1. Onley Burgess
2. Bobby Bare, Sec.
3. Eddie Duncan
2 year term
1. Rev. G. C. Burkett, Chairman
2. B. W. Miller
3. R. R. Campbell
1 year term
1. Rev. J. H. Gentry
2. Paul Hopkins
3. Rev. Frank Tucker

4 Program Committee
1. R. R. Campbell
2. John Goodman
3. Jack Miller
4. Richard Neaves
5. Roby Swift

Missions Committee
B. W. Miller, Chairman
R. R. Campbell
Paul Hopkins
Onley Burgess
Eddie Duncan

5 Committee on New Churches
1. Rev. W. E. Denny
2. Rev. Frank Tucker
3. Rev. R. C. Ashley
4. D. C. Severt
5. James Vannoy
6. Walter Poe

6 Members of Finance Committee
1. Guy T. Shatley, Treasurer
2. Rex Blevins
3. Lloyd Witherspoon
4. B. F. Cook
5. Sanford Howell

Place and Preacher Committee appointed by the Moderator

W. E. Denny, Chairman Frank Tucker
Reeves Jones Alt. - Lawrence Goodman

General Officers to be Nominated

Moderator ..... George West
Vice Moderator ..... R. C. Ashley
Clerk ..... F. L. Barker, Jr.
Treasurer ..... Guy T. Shatley
Superintendent of Missions ..... Rev. Lynn M. Powers
Sunday School Superintendent ..... Rev. R.R. Campbell
Training Union Director ..... William F. Eller
W.M.U. President ..... Mrs. C.E. Lindsey
Brotherhood President ..... Guy T. Shatley
Chairman of Evangelism ..... W.T. Brackett
Moderator of Ministerial Conference ..... Rev. R. C. Ashley
Director of Music Committee ..... Mrs. Cecil Shoaf
Vacation Bible School Supt. ..... Miss Mary Jordan

Organizational Officers

Sunday School Officers and Department Superintendents
Superintendent ..... R. R. Campbell
Superintendent of Training ..... John Goodman
Cradle Roll ..... Mrs. W. T. Whittington
Nursery ..... Mrs. Don Blackburn
Beginner ..... Mrs. Raymond Elliott
Primary ..... Mrs. Grover Shatley
Junior ..... John D. Cook
Intermediate ..... Mrs. Louise Hoosier

Young People ..... Mrs. Bill Eller
Adults ..... Richard Neaves
Supt. of Evangelism and Enlargement ..... G. C. Burkett
Secretary ..... Mrs. Harold Ashley
V. B. S. Superintendent ..... Miss Mary Jordan
Chorister ..... Howard Jones
Pianist ..... Miss Jerrie Campbell

Group Superintendents

Group I ..... R.D. Brown
Group II ..... Rev. Larry Leftler
Group III ..... Rex Blevins
Group IV ..... Eddie Duncan
Group V ..... Clark Church
Group VI ..... Grover Shatley

Training Union Officers

Director ..... William F. Eller
Associate Director ..... D.C. Severt
Pastor Advisor ..... W.E. Burchette
Chorister ..... Dewey Campbell
Pianist ..... Miss Maureen Shoaf
Secretary ..... Mrs. T.D. Watson

Departmental Leaders

Nursery ..... Mrs. Floyd Johnson
Beginner ..... Mrs. Paul Hopkins
Primary ..... Miss Mary Jordan
Junior ..... Mrs. Tommy Johnson
Intermediate ..... Mrs. Paul Taylor
Young People ..... Mr. Tommy Johnson
Adults ..... J.H. Gentry

Group Leaders

Group I ..... Rev. Reeves Jones
Group II ..... Mr. Frank Roten
Group III ..... Mrs. Arthur Pasley
Group IV ..... Mrs. Lenard Hudler
Group V ..... Mr. Sanford Howell
Group VI ..... Mr. Grover Marsh

Associational Music Officers

Music Director ..... Mrs. Cecil Shoaf
Pastor Advisor ..... G.C. Burkett
Director of Instrumental Act. ..... Mrs. Dewey Campbell
Director of Training ..... Mrs. J.H. Gentry
Director of Congregational Act. ..... Mrs. Dewey Campbell
Director of Graded Choir Act. ..... Miss Nancy Dillard
Director of Publicity and Promotion ..... Mrs. Harold Ashley

Brotherhood Officers

President ..... Guy T. Shatley
Vice President ..... Paul Hopkins
Advisory Council ..... G.C. Burkett
R.R. Campbell
Bill Ballou

Secretary ..... Lynn M. Powers
R.A. Leader ..... Bill Harden
Christian Witness Leader ..... John Burkett
World Mission Leader ..... Grover Shatley
Personal Stewardship Leader ..... Harold Ashley

W.M.U. Officers

President ..... Mrs. C.E. Lindsey
Associate President ..... Mrs. W.T. Whittington
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Mrs. Harold Ashley
Y.W.A. Director ..... Mrs. Hoyle Stringer
G.A. Director ..... Mrs. Don Blackburn
Sunbeam Director ..... Mrs. Floyd Johnson
Stewardship Director ..... Mrs. Herbert McCoy
Prayer Chairman ..... Mrs. Dewey Campbell
Mission Study Chairman ..... Mrs. Grover Marsh
Community Missions ..... Mrs. A.M. Frazier

Standing Committee

State, Home, Foreign Missions ..... John Goodman
Children's Home ..... Rev. Roe Pasley
Hospital ..... Rev. J. Herman Gentry
Pastors' Salary and Retirement ..... Mrs. W.T. Whittington
Home for Aging ..... Mrs. F.L. Waddell
Christian Education ..... F.L. Barker, Jr.
Christian Literature ..... Richard Blackburn
American Bible Society ..... Rev. G.C. Burkett
Temperance and Public Morals ..... B.H. Duncan

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PLACE AND PREACHERS

The Committee on Place and Preachers submit the following report for the 1965 Association:

Place

First day - Sturgills Baptist Church, Sturgills, N.C.
Second day - South Beaver Creek Baptist Church, Fleetwood, N.C.

Preachers

Rev. Lawrence Goodman

Alternate

Rev. Bill Ballou
Rev. W.E. Denny
Rev. Frank Tucker
Rev. Reeves Jones

STATE, HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Baptists carry their mission work from three points of view--state missions, home missions, and foreign missions. This seems to have the warrant of the Scriptures. In that memorable interview in which Jesus appeared to his disciples after His Resurrection, He said: "Ye shall be witnesses unto Me, both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth." Therefore, we see that Jesus was giving to his disciples a very definite program for the evangelization of the world.

This work begins with the local churches and then reaches out to the state or province, and then to the home-land, and on to the faraway countries of the world. Jesus said to his disciples: "Lift up your eyes and look on the fields; for they are

white already to harvest." (St. John 4:35) The Christian Church certainly should be concerned about the salvation of lost people throughout the whole world, and strive to reach them through every channel that is open to them.

Paul was as much a missionary when he trod the highways of Judea, burdened for the people of his own blood, as he was when he went from house to house in Rome, teaching the way of life. Our Divine Lord announced the great principles of missionary endeavors when he said: "The field is the World." This should get us in touch with the world-wide field, and create within us a desire to supply the people of every land with the Gospel of His love and Grace. This is the task of the churches set by our Lord Himself. Therefore, we should not overlook this great truth, but feel that it becomes our responsibility to do all that we possibly can for the evangelization of the lost people of the world.

The real task of Baptist is found in St. Matthew, 28:19-20, and when analyzed and briefly stated is, Go Make Disciples, Baptize Disciples, Teach Disciples, in all nations. Remember, if we cannot go ourselves, we can help someone else to go by giving of our money to State, Home, and Foreign Missions, or the Cooperative Program.

In looking over our records for the past ten years, we find that our churches have not made too much progress in this field of work. In the designated offerings, in 1953, just ten years ago, our offerings were: State Missions--$360.93, Home Missions --$301.68, Foreign Missions--$ 566.85. In 1963, the designated offerings were: State Missions--$409.00, Home Missions--$164.00, and Foreign Missions--$2,057.00. These figures show a substantial gain in Foreign Missions, but a loss in Home Missions. In 1953, we gave through the Cooperative Program, $1,787.79, and in 1963, we gave $5,641.00. The gains we have made in the Cooperative Program have been very encouraging. Many of our churches have failed to make contributions in these endeavors. We hope that every church will realize its responsibility in helping spread the gospel to every person, and that each church will make some contribution to this end.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. W.E. Denny

REPORT ON HOSPITAL

Since the days that Jesus walked the sandy shores of Galilee there has been a cry from sick people for help.

Many institutions over the world are seeking to give relief to the suffering of body, mind, and spirit. For more than forty years our Baptist Hospital of Winston-Salem has been ministering to the needs of suffering humanity. The Hospital needs our support as never before through the Mothers' Day offering to help take care of the ever increasing number of patients who are not able to pay a hospital bill.

May God give us concern for those sick people, and may we rise to meet the challenge.

Last year we of the Ashe Association gave through the Mothers' Day Offering $2,383.00 and for the same period of time we received approximately $23,000 in free service besides doctor bills.

The need is so great! May we feel the need to give that others may live.

Respectfully submitted,
J.H. Gentry

REPORT ON HOMES FOR AGING

God has surely blessed the Ministry to the aging men and women of North Carolina by putting it into the hearts of Baptists over our State to provide four wonderful homes where they can spend the evening time of life waiting for the final call of our Master.

The Hayes and Rest Haven homes in Winston-Salem, the Albermarle Home in Albermarle and the Hamilton Home in Hamilton are caring for a great number of aging people, and they are high in their praise for the loving care they receive.

We feel sure that another home in the Western part of the State will be ready for use in the not too distant future.

May our Heavenly Father continue to bless and expand this worthy cause and give strength to those who faithfully minister to these aging people.

"Cast me not off nor forsake me when my strength faileth."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. F.L. Waddell

REPORT OF ASHE MISSIONARY BAPTIST PASTORS' CONFERENCE 1963-64

The Ashe Missionary Baptist Pastors' Conference has met eleven times during the Associational Year. These Conferences have been very interesting for the few that have attended. Many of the programs were planned programs.

A part of these Conferences have been given over altogether to an open discussion of Associational work.

The attendance has been few in number for the year. There is a great need for more unity among the pastors of the Association.

The great Missionary Paul said in I Cor. 1:10, "Now I beseech you, brethern, by the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you; that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgement."

Respectfully submitted,
W.T. Brackett

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee met each quarter,with two called meetings. The following brethern served as officers: Rev. G.C. Burkett, Chairman, Paul Hopkins, Vice Chairman, and John Burkett, Secretary.

A committee was selected to find someone to fill the office of Sunday School Supt. Brother Rexford Campbell was selected to fill the office.

The committee for Associational Missionary met with the Alleghany County Committee and secured the services of Rev. Lyn M. Powers, who began his work April 1, 1964.

After the resignation of Brother McDaniel Harless as Clerk and Treasurer, the Executive Committee secured the services of Mrs. Don Wiles as Treasurer in order that bills might be paid and money received. The position of Clerk was temporarily given to the Missionary Rev. Lyn M. Powers until one could be elected at the next regular session of the Association.

Your Executive Committee goes on record recommending to our Churches the entire Mission Program. Our contributions to our Associational Mission Program.

As a final work the committee would like to express its appreciation to Brother McDaniel Harless for his faithful service as Clerk and Treasurer for these eleven years that he has served the Association.

Respectfully submitted,
THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Ashe Baptist Association
G.C. Burkett, Chairman

SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSIONS REPORT 1964

Your Associational Superintendent of Missions has had a busy year since coming to office on April 1st, this year. He has helped in planning the Vacation Bible School Clinic, Mother's Day program for our Baptist Hospital gifts, Brotherhood and W. M. U. annual and planning meetings, and supplying Pulpits nearly every Sunday, morning and evening. Brother Powers has helped in the program for the association and met regularly with Associational officers planning and preparing for the new year. He has met consistently with the organizational bodies to report and prepare for the coming year.

Regular-planning meetings are being held by the Superintendent and all departmental heads in order to avoid conflicts, insure a spirit of cooperation, and provide a well planned calendar of associational activities.

The Superintendent's report of personal activities is as follows: April 1 - July 31.

Miles traveled on Field	9, 159
Other means, conventions and conferences	560
Pastors' Conferences	3
Committee Meetings	9
Associational Meetings	4
Regional, State, SBC Meetings	8
Churches Visited	22
Institutional Services	6
Sermons and Addresses	16
Dedications	45
Conversions	14
Bible Schools	12
Prepare and mail out (Pieces of Mail)	529
Mimeograph, Programs, Bulletins, Reports	700

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

I. Education and Promotion	'64 Budget per Mo.	Actually per year	Amount Rec. for '65/year	'65 Budget per Mo.
1. Sunday School	2. 08	25. 00	45. 00	3. 75
2. Training Union	2. 08	25. 00	45. 00	3. 75
3. W. M. U.				
4. Brotherhood			25. 00	2. 08
5. Music	4. 16	50. 00	25. 00	2. 08
6. Schools of Mission				
7. Stewardship Promotion			25. 00	2. 08
8. Audio-visual Aids			25. 00	2. 08
9. Bible School	4. 16	50. 00	50. 00	4. 16
10. Ministers' Conference			50. 00	4. 16
II. Associational Office				
1. Office Equipment			25. 00	2. 08
2. Printing & Office Supplies	7. 16	86. 00	100. 00	8. 33
3. Subscriptions				
4. Postage	4. 16	50. 00	75. 00	6. 25
5. Publicity				
6. Minutes		345. 00	345. 00	

III. Salaries & Allowances				
1. Missionary	266.67	3,200.00	3,200.00	266.67
2. Secretary				
3. Housing Allowance				
4. Retirement	33.34	400.08	400.08	33.34
5. Clerk's Fee	4.16	50.00	50.00	4.16
IV. Conventions & Conferences				
1. Missionary's car allowance	75.00	900.00	900.00	75.00
2. Southern Baptist Convention				
3. State Convention	16.66	200.00	200.00	16.66
V. Building & Equipment				
1. Pastorium Payment	100.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	100.00
2. Utilities	12.50	150.00	150.00	12.50
3. Insurance	6.83	81.84	81.84	6.83
4. Taxes				
5. Building Repair			25.00	2.08
VI. Mission Extension Fund				
Student Workers			80.00	6.66
Miscellaneous	20.83	250.00	200.00	16.66
Totals	559.79	7,062.84	7,321.92	581.36
Less Designated Minute Fund		345.00	345.00	
Totals	559.79	6,717.84	6,976.92	581.36
Receipts				
North Carolina Baptist Convention			1,800.00	150.00
Alleghany Share			1,050.00	87.50
Ashe needed income this year			4,126.92	444.36

TRAINING UNION REPORT

During the year a Training Union was organized at Pilot Mountain, and one was reorganized at Healing Springs. This is one less organization than the previous year and three less than the year 1961-62.

During the forty-two years that the Association Training Union Director, Mr. D.C. Severt, has served he has assisted in the organization of Training Unions in forty-five of the churches. Some of these have been reorganized two or three times. He has traveled an average of more than a thousand miles each year in rendering this service to the churches of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,
D.C. Severt

MUSIC COMMITTEE REPORT

The Music Committee has performed little this year in a music program for the churches. We realize this is an important area in our church program and there is a need for the study of music in our churches, and our Music Committee is looking forward to serving the churches in a greater way the coming year.

We feel our churches need to examine the need for junior choirs and that training and leadership plus enthusiasm is needed for basic procedure in developing this much needed program.

The Music Committee has planned the music for the Annual Associational Meeting.

If you feel as the leadership, that your church needs some help in your music program, please contact the Associational Music Director for the coming year, Mrs. Cecil Shoaf of the Warrensville Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Cecil Shoaf, Chairman

REPORT ON AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

If the people of the world are to know Christ, the hope of man and nations, they must have the Bible. It is the one primary source of knowledge of Him.

In 1816 the churches established the American Bible Society and charged it with the task of translating, publishing and distributing the Bible without note or comment and without purpose of profit.

With today's increase in population and the number of unlearned people in the world, the duty of spreading the Word of God has a greater need for the Scriptures in the languages of these people.

If the pressing world needs for more translation and distribution of the Bible are to be met, the churches must increase their share of the support of the American Bible Society.

Let us prayerfully consider this matter when we make our budget for this next year.

Respectfully submitted,
G.C. Burkett

REPORT ON PASTORS' SALARIES AND RETIREMENT

For years I have believed that every church should pay its pastor a decent salary. Plans have been set up making participation in Retirement benefits reasonable. Perhaps there would be no argument against the above statements and we will cast a negative vote only by failure of our churches and their members to assume their proper responsibility. This covers the subject perhaps, as well as a lot of words which might be written.

Respectfully submitted,
Ira T. Johnston

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

It is time to take stock of the accomplishments of the past twelve months. This report tells of things which have been, are, and are hoped to be. The Associational Brotherhood has met in special meetings to plan their work for the past year in reaching and organizing men for Christ in the churches. The Brotherhood first studied the Brotherhood Officers Book to better prepare themselves for effective service.

This year two new church Brotherhoods were organized and seven new Crusader and Pioneer chapters. Other than this, other church brotherhoods have been assisted by the Associational Officers in developing stronger Brotherhood organizations.

The Associational Brotherhood has launched a program to organize three new church Brotherhoods this coming year using the Brotherhood Survey Sheets to gain information. If your church is interested in a Brotherhood, contact any of the Associational Brotherhood Officers.

Information on our R.A. Camps has gone out to every church but we haven't received a report as to how many churches sent boys.

An Associational Brotherhood Workshop has been planned for our Association in

October of this year, Monday and Tuesday nights, October 12th and 13th at the Jefferson, Baptist Church.

We hope that more churches will realize the need of a Brotherhood organization in their church, and if so contact the Associational Brotherhood or the Associational Missionary.

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

Evangelism is the life blood of all our Baptist work. The agencies of our Church not centered around and for the purpose of reaching the lost people of the world and winning them for God are dead organizations. Evangelism has been the means of the growth in our Baptist Churches. How well have we worked at this job of soul-winning during the year? Last year we baptized 209 in our Association. This year we have baptized 216 making a gain of 7.

We only have reports from 57 of our churches. From these 57 churches 15 reported no baptisms. Forty-nine churches had revivals. This leaves 8 out of the 57 reported with no revival. Sixty-eight revivals were reported from the 49 churches reporting revivals. It took 19 Ashe Baptists to win one soul to the Lord this year.

Let us commit ourselves to win at least one for the Lord next year.

Respectfully submitted,
W.T. Brackett

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS

Webster defines morals as traits of behavior, conduct, and habits. One might supplement this definition by saying that there are two kinds of morals, right morals and wrong morals. Right morals tend to promote and raise high standards of conduct; wrong morals tend to pull down and lower one's standard of living.

Low public morals today are rampant in every stratum of society. Crime among many adults and youth is deplorable. This carries with it many problems and, in fact, distress.

The national, state and local governments are alarmed at the results of low morals, defiance of laws, and disobedience to organized law and order. These governing bodies are making strong efforts to learn the causes and solutions to a universal problem.

It is in the midst of a general prosperity today that murders, rapes, assaults, and robberies are increasing particularly in cities and among the youth. Much of the crime is ultimately traceable to broad social changes. In the 1930's it was a shattering economic change that brought deep distress to millions. In the 1960's revolutions in the application of science, in population growth, in social mores, and in family morals have created powerful, though dimly seen strains on the individual. All these are root-causes which at best respond very slowly to government policies. Attack them one must, but is this enough?

The average American unfortunately takes law enforcement for granted until he sees policemen shot down, streets and cities aflame with mob demonstrations and violence, white and colored citizens fiercely defying one another with threats, shootings, burning churches and homes. Yes, this certainly is enough to arouse all who wish for peace and happiness.

Is enough being done to curtail this trend? One may say no, but is there not more that our churches and their allied agencies can do to meet the challenge hurled at one by all other secular agencies daring to face the onslought of the very low moral standards and prevent their growth?

Respectfully submitted,
Bower H. Duncan

THE REPORT OF THE N. C. BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC.

In the widest sense Stewardship "is the maximum use of one's life for the glory of God and the good of mankind." The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., encourages the Stewardship of Current Income in systematic and proportionate giving from current income. The Foundation also encourages the Stewardship of Accumulated Possessions by single block giving at infrequent intervals from accumulated income during one's lifetime and / or at one's death. You will note that the Baptists have put the major emphasis on the Stewardship of Current Income. The Baptist Foundation seeks to put a stronger emphasis on the Stewardship of Accumulated Income. There are many ways that the Foundation assists a person in making his gifts through accumulated income such as: (1) by living trust, (2) by gift annuity, and (3) by bequests in wills.

The Foundation also serves by meeting with you and your attorney upon your request in connection with preparation of legal documents where the Baptist Foundation is to be involved. The Foundation offers services to individual churches, associations, and to all of our Baptist agencies and institutions.

We have been emphasizing the making of Christian wills. We have two films, "God's Will Through Yours" and "Treasures In Heaven," on Christian will making, which are available to any organization upon request.

C. Gordon Maddrey
Executive Secretary

TREASURER'S REPORT ASHE ASSOCIATION

Balance in treasury		$ 88.40
Minute fund		403.00
Received from churches		2,777.13
	Total	$3,268.53
Ashe share missionary		$1,043.94
Paid on home		1,766.00
Minutes		338.45
Office expense and postage (clerk)		28.65
Clerk's fee		50.00
Misc. expenses		40.62
Balance in treasury (turned over to new trea.)		.87
	Total	$3,268.53

ASHE-ALLEGHANY

Balance in treasury		$ 1.24
North Carolina Baptist State Convention		300.00
Alleghany		262.50
Ashe		1,043.94
	Total	$1,607.68
Paid Missionary A. B. Frazier		$ 175.00
Paid Missionary (Salary, travel, Utilities)		1,062.48
Annuities		133.36

Convention Expenses	125.00
Office expenses and postage	80.42
Balance in treasury (turned over to new treas.)	31.42
Total	$1,607.68

Respectfully submitted,
McDaniel Harless, Past Treas.
Ashe-Alleghany Associations

W.M.U. REPORT

Our progress for 1964 was not as great as we would like to report, but we are thankful for the progress that was made.

We had 10 societies with a total of 250 members, 4 GA'S, 1 YWA and 5 Sunbeam Bands.

Jefferson Church organized GA'S, YWA and Sunbeams. Warrensville also organized Sunbeams. We would very much like to see more WMU activities in our churches.

In looking forward to 1965, we would like to challenge you by quoting from a missionary statesman: "There are more non-Christians in the world today than the day Jesus was nailed to the cross. Roughly a billion people have heard the gospel and rejected it and another billion have yet to hear that Christ died for them. The population explosion throughout the world in the past decades, and predictions of what is to come, all indicate that unless the churches use every means at their disposal in preaching the gospel the gap will continue to widen."

Let us work and pray that Christ may be glorified in all the world.

Respectfully submitted,
Edith S. Lindsey

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

During last year the Associational Sunday School work was, for the most part, at a standstill. This was due to the fact that we had neither an Associational Missionary nor a Superintendent. However, when the Associational calendar of activities was planned for 1964 some very important plans for the Sunday School Department were included in it; these plans are in the process of being implemented at the present time.

The week of October 19-23 has been set apart as a Pastor-Led Sunday School Enlargement Campaign Week in our association. Almost every word in that long title needs emphasis. It is pastor-led. This means that the pastor is placed in his rightful place as pastor in leading this phase of church life and that his people have the opportunity of working with him as they formulate plans together to reach the community for Christ. It is an enlargement campaign which makes use of the best methods known to reach men for Christ, to teach them the Word of God, and lead them to Jesus as their Personal Saviour. Most of our churches have many people in their communities who are yet unreached and this campaign places the emphasis at that point.

As of this writing both pastors and superintendents have been contacted regarding participation in this work, but very little has been reported to your superintendent. It is hoped that all of our pastors will participate in the work and will lead their churches to become a part of the effort either during the week indicated or as soon thereafter as possible.

In recent years our churches have been greatly blessed through the added Bible study provided in the January Bible Study Week, usually held the first full week in January. The book for our study in 1965 is Deuteronomy and suitable guides are in

process of preparation to help us in our study.

With the coming of an Associational Missionary and a full corps of officers in the department we hope to have a good year in Sunday School work on the Associational level. It is our hope and prayer that the meetings you are asked to attend will prove worthwhile for you and that you can be helped in getting the job done in your local church.

Respectfully submitted,
R. R. Campbell

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

It is unnecessary to point out that within the last half century our environment has become exceedingly complex. The closeness in which people live, the speed of travel, the impact of new means of communication, the greatly increased amount of leisure time which new inventions and modern living have brought, have contributed to many sociological and psychological problems pertitent to all age levels but particularly to youth.

The needs for Christian education by these comparatively new conditions have been greatly intensified by the circumstances attendant upon three successive shooting wars and a cold war of indeterminant duration. We seek to meet the situation, which on occassion seems to assume the character of a crises, by enlisting the help of all our social institutions, especially the Christian colleges.

In North Carolina we have seven colleges owned by our Baptist State Convention. Three of these schools, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, and Wingate, are two-year colleges and four, Campbell, Mars Hill, Meredith and Wake Forest, are full four-year colleges granting the basic academic degrees. Two of them, Campbell and Mars Hill, are just emerging as senior colleges, while Meredith and Wake Forest have enviable records of many years service behind them. Wake Forest also grants graduate (M.A.) and professional degrees in law and medicine.

These seven Baptist colleges of which we are all proud, represent one of the finest systems of higher education in America, and have received wide recognition from accrediting agencies and other standard making groups. These colleges are strategically located in every section of the state--from the coastal plains to the Blue Ridge Mountains. They are accredited institutions providing quality education each year for more than 11,000 students. The total property value of the colleges exceeds $60,000,000. These colleges have graduated almost 50,000 students. Of special interest to our church people is the fact that enrolled in these seven colleges are 426 young men and women studying to be pastors, missionaries, directors of religious education and leaders in church music.

In order that the North Carolina Baptist Colleges may continue their phenomenal growth and face the challenge of excellence in education they must have financial support along with the prayers and concern of all Baptists. Some of the money to pay for these colleges is provided by Baptists through the Co-operative Program, Christian Education Day Offerings, gifts from non-Baptist friends and foundations, endowments, and alumni of the school.

The ties which bind these seven colleges to the Baptist are not now nor have they ever been primarily financial. The true ties which bind us together are to be found in the Bible, in our history, and what we believe as Baptists. Baptists from the beginning have believed that the task of learning is apppointed by God and that all knowledge and wisdom has its unity in Christ; and since we do believe that Jesus Christ is Lord of Life, we believe that Baptist churches through their colleges, as members of the covenant community, have an obligation to every area of life and culture. Thus, our fellowship comes through a covenant relationship and a sense of working together to achieve a common goal.

A famous educator says that good education causes a person "to think effectively, communicate clearly, make relevant judgments, and discriminate among values." The Christian college believes that only in the mind of Christ can these objectives be truly reached.

The Christian college also knows that the youth of today are capable of asking profound questions about life and its meanings. Many young people in the 20th century are not satisfied to learn only how to make a living. They are also wanting to know how to live a creative and meaningful life. The Christian college helps the student to find a purpose in life to which he can direct the full measure of his talents, a purpose worthy of the best that he has.

The Christian college is a true mission to the minds of men and women, recognizing that each student is an entity of value and eternal significance, and that each is loved of God, who has revealed Himself completely in the person and work of his Son, Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
F. L. Baker, Jr.

REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS
BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME 1964

Helping children and young people to grow and develop toward Christian maturity is one of the greatest privileges in life. No task is more important than helping a child to grow into healthy, well-adjusted, responsible citizenship. At the Children's Homes we seek to provide the proper atmosphere, encouragement and supervision to assure the development of in-born God given powers of our children. This is the continuing purpose of your child care program.

Food, clothing, shelter are necessities given every child in the Baptist Children's Homes. They receive carefully planned, well-balanced and nourishing meals. They have a comfortable and attractive place in which to live with care and respect to each child's personality.

Of greater importance than material things is the genuine interest, concern and love given every child by Christian men and women on the staff. Many children who have known only heartbreak and tragedy learn to love again---learn to trust in themselves, in adults and in God. They find a measure of self-confidence and individual dignity because the Homes operate on the conviction that every child is precious in the sight of God.

Jesus devoted a great deal of His time and energy to the needs of the underprivileged people of His day. How would you like to join Him in our day in making life meaningful and happy for boys and girls who have no home and, who for some reason, know not the love of mother and father---children for whom the future has little to offer? How would you like to help boys and girls who have no hope to come under the impact of the saving grace of our Lord? How would you like to awaken to fruition the intellectual potential of boys and girls who can serve the up-lift of mankind and the furtherance of God's Gospel around the world? This can be done as you join hearts and hands with other friends of dependent children in making a way of life possible for them.

Genuine appreciation is expressed by those who direct our child care ministry for all who support this cause in any way. Income through the Cooperative Program, through the Thanksgiving offering and through special gifts are vital to the services which are provided those who need our help.

Financial support for the past year has come from the following sources:

Cooperative Program	33 Per Cent
Thanksgiving Offering	30 Per Cent

Once-a-Month Offerings	16 Per Cent
All Other	21 Per Cent

Most North Carolina Baptists are well acquainted with "Charity and Children," official publication of the Baptist Children's Homes. This unique newspaper is published each week and goes to more than 55,000 subscribers. Well over half the Baptist churches in the state receive it in bundles for distribution to the members on Sunday.

See that your church receives Charity and Children so that every family may be better informed about the work of North Carolina Baptists, and particularly the program of child care. The subscription price is sixty cents per year in bundle form.

Respectfully submitted,
Roe Pasley

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT 1964

The Vacation Bible School Work, of the Ashe Association has made progress in 1964, and we trust that through a united and prayerful effort the progress will be greater in 1965.

No. Churches holding Schools (Ashe Association)	43
No. Mission Vacation Bible Schools	2
No. Schools sponsored by Ashe Association	45
No. Schools, to date, giving complete reports	39
The Enrollment for 42-schools	2070
The Average Attendance for 42-schools	1735
The Mission Offerings for 40-schools, to Co-operative Program	$538.54
The Mission Offering for one-Mission School, to Bapt. Hospital	13.15
Expenses for 41-schools	$976.69
No. Unsaved reported	398
No. Professions of Faith	40
No. not in any Sunday School	17
No. Dedications	44
No. 5-day schools	35
No. 6-day schools	2
No. 7-day schools	1
No. 8-day schools	1
No. 4-day schools	1
No. 10-day schools	2
No. 3-hour-daily schools	13
No. 2-1/2-hour-daily schools	8
No. 2-hour-daily schools	14
No. 1 1/2-hour-daily schools	7
No. Grade "E" schools	27
No. Grade "D" schools	8
No. Grade "CC" schools	2
No. Grade "BB" schools	1
No. Grade "AA" schools	2
No. schools, only information, they have had schools	3

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We are thankful for this report, but trust it will be better next year.
"Let us do the best we can, with what we have, where we are, for Jesus' sake," 1965.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Jordan

In Memoriam

BALD MOUNTAIN
- Mrs. Thomas Holman
- Mrs. Maggie Ham

BAPTIST HOME
- Mr. Joe Potter

BEAVER CREEK
- Mrs. Nora Darnell

BETHEL
- Mr. Joe E. Johnson

BLUE RIDGE
- Mrs. Mary P. Church
- Mrs. Martha P. Walker
- Mr. D. J. Church
- Mrs. Dana Eller

BRISTOL
- Mrs. Martha Johnson
- Mrs. Mattie Johnson
- Mr. Columbus Combs

BUFFALO
- Mrs. Louise Trivette Potter

CHESTNUT HILL
- Mr. Glenn Sheets

GLENDALE SPRINGS
- Mrs. Mary Ellen Miller

GREEN'S CHAPEL
- Mrs. Lillian Cole

HEALING SPRINGS
- Deacon F. M. Jones
- Deacon Carl Blevins
- Mr. W. T. Little
- Mrs. Lena Blevins
- Mr. Ray Barker
- Mr. A. L. Cox
- Mr. Leff Gaultney
- Mr. Hester Blevins

JEFFERSON
- Mrs. Almedia Ann Baker
- Mrs. Reggie Eller

LANDMARK
- Mrs. Minnie Faw
- Mrs. Lucindia Ham
- Mrs. Lura Coe
- Mrs. Gerlie Blevins

LAUREL KNOB
- Mrs. Mabel Wilcox

LITTLE HELTON
- Mr. Caroll Testerman
- Mr. Frank Porter

NEW RIVER
- Mr. Lintie Joner
- Miss Elsie West
- Mrs. Opal Gover

ORION
- Mrs. Lena Bowers Bare
- Mrs. Maude Yates

PHOENIX
- Mr. Lee McNeill
- Mrs. Mary Mullis
- Deacon E. C. Eller
- Deacon Fred Waddell

PILOT MOUNTAIS
- Mr. A. T. Parker

PLEASANT BRANCH
- Mr. Claborn Kelly

PLEASANT CHAPEL
- Mrs. Ethel Campbell

PLEASANT HOME
- Mr. Claude L. Blevins

PLEASANT VALLEY
- Mrs. Florence Taylor
- Mr. W. N. Ballou

ROCK CREEK
- Mrs. Oma Roark

ROUND KNOB
- Mrs. Mary Ann Miller

SABBATH HOME
- Mr. Glenn Hamm

STURGILLS
- Rev. R. L. Dolinger
- Mrs. Ella Waddell

THREE FORK
- Mr. Edd Johnson

TUCKERDALE
- Mr. Elmer Stevens, Sr.

VALLEY HOME
- Mrs. Jennie Howell
- Mrs. Ida Phillips

WAGONER
- Mrs. Pheba Coldiron
- Deacon Dewey Jenkins
- Deacon Albert Barker

WEST JEFFERSON
- Miss Ellen Myers
- Mrs. John A. Weaver, Sr.
- Mrs. Coy Woodie
- Miss Ruth Watson
- Mr. Fred Greene

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Bob Woodruff, West Jefferson
Jack Pugh, Crumpler

MINISTERS RETIRED

Rev. A. P. Howell, Lansing
Rev. G. L. Denny, Grassy Creek
Rev. W. E. Denny, Crumpler
Rev. E. Z. Sexton, Jefferson
Finley Miller, West Jefferson
W. G. Trivett, West Jefferson

MINISTERS ORDAINED

Eugene Phillips
Worth Shepherd, Lansing
Herbert Mason, Valdise, N. C.
Roger Osborne, Fig, N. C.
T. J. Cockerham, Crumpler, N. C.
Jessie Denny, Grayson, N. C.
Rev. Ralph Smith, West Jefferson
Elmer Ham, West Jefferson
Smith Miller, Burtington, N. C.
Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek
Judson Blevins
Lester Blevins, New Town, Pa.
John Camphell
Russel Wyatt, Grayson, N. C.
James W. Miller, Eubank, Ky.
Ralph Winners, Grayson, N. C.
Euerett Trivett, Konnarock, Va.
J. H. Gentry, West Jefferson
Walters Powers

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1	Apple Grove	1889	1	1	Ted Davis, Rt. 3, Lansing	1	1				39	13	52							120
2	Bald Mountain	1910	1	2	R.C. Ashley, Warrensville	11	1	12		5	98	81	179	1		Y				625
3	Baptist Home	1890	1	1	Walter Day, Rt. 1, West Jefferson						19	51	70	1		Y	N			110
4	Beaver Creek	1890	1	4	Elwood Goodman, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	8	10		1	18	107	44	153	1		N	N			1464
5	Bethel	1857	1	1	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek					2	66	30	96	1		N	N			
6	Big Flats	1905	1	4	Reeves Jones, Crumpler	3	3		1	2	64	62	126	2	25	N	N			1255
7	Big Laurel	1880	1	1	Clayton Widner, Glade Springs, Va.						11	18	29	1	3	N	N			
8	Blue Ridge	1887	1	2	Gilbert Osborne, Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro					5	34	40	74	1		N	N			340
9	Bristol	1888	1	4	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	1	3		5	3	103	72	175	2	3	Y	N			600
10	Buffalo	1869	1	2	Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson	4	4			1	82	20	102	1		N	N			622
11	Calvary	1960	3	2	Glenn Woodie, Box 223, Jefferson	6	8				43	4	47	2		N				120
12	Chestnut Hill	1928	1	2	Sam Testerman, Crumpler		4			3	18	53	71			N	N		4	269
13	Clifton	1891	1	4	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	2	2	1		1	79	64	143	1	3	N	N			596
14	Fairview	1940	1	1	No Pastor						21	27	48	1		N	N			
15	Farmer Memorial	1943	1	1	Ted Davis, Rt. 3, Lansing						15	30	45			N	N			110
16	Franklin	1932	1	4	Earl Wagner, Belview, Md.	22	7		1		73	45	118	1			N			1452
17	Friendly Grove	1945	2	4	W.T. Brackett, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	7	2		1		132	52	184	1	25	Y	Y			1975
18	Friendship	1880	2	4	G.C. Burkett, Rt. 1, Jefferson	5	1	6		1	178	30	208	3		Y	N			1666
19	Glendale	1914	1	3	Paul Phipps, Jefferson	2	4	1		4	51	74	125	3	10	N	N			706
20	Grassy Creek	1927	1	2	Paul Phipps, Jefferson	1			2		93	58	151	1	12	Y	N			1200
21	Greens Chapel	1963	1	2	Douglas Parsons, Rt. 1, Todd	3	1			1	70	20	90	1		Y	N			
22	Healing Springs	1888	1	4	Paul Phipps	1				11	164	94	258	1		Y	N			1490
23	Jefferson	1953	3	4	W.C. Ballou, Rt. Box 67, Lansing	15	17			2	115	7	122	1	15	Y	N			1450
24	Landmark	1856	1	4	Lawrence Goodman, Todd	5	3			6	83	158	241	2	5	N	N			
25	Laurel Hill	1948	1	4	W.M. Sexton, Lansing	14	2				57	7	64	1		N	N			305
26	Laurel Knob	1912	1	4	W.T. Brackett, West Jefferson	2				5	52	92	144			Y				960
27	Liberty Grove	1915	1	2	John Goodman, West Jefferson		1				61	10	71	2		Y	N			636
28	Liberty Hill	1907			Bill Rose, West Jefferson															
29	Little Helton	1923	1	2	Lawrence Goodman, Todd	1	1			9	82	35	117	1		N	N			604
30	Long Branch	1889	1	1	Carl Haga, Whitetop, Va.						54	65	119	1						240
31	Midway	1953	1	4	Bill Burchette, West Jefferson	12	14			1	147	15	162	2		Y	N			2080
32	Mission Home	1892	1	4	Archie Clawson		2		2	12	59	48	107	1	18	Y	N			900
33	Mount Olive	1941	1	2	H.M. Winkler, Fleetwood		1	1		4	45	10	55		6	N			1	292
34	Mountain View		1	1	John Davis, Grassy Creek	12	1				49	57	106	2		N	N			96
35	New River	1885	1	2	Fred Jennings, Independence, Va.	6	3			9	144	75	216	1	4	N	N			1190

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36	North Beaver	1943	1	2	David Hartzog, Fleetwood	4				3	30	32	62	1		N	N			115
37	Oak Hill	1927	1	1	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	12	1			3	61	33	94	2		N	N			200
38	Obids	1892	1	4	H. M. Winkler, Fleetwood	1				10	43	44	87	1		N	N			650
39	Old Fields		1	4	Herbert McCoy, Deep Gap	4	2			2	90	58	148	1	10	Y	N			2085
40	Orion	1911	1	3	David Brown, Todd	2	1			3	92	30	122	1		Y				508
41	Peak Valley	1908	1	1	Frank Tucker, Warrensville						16	23	39	1			N			300
42	Pheonix	1908	1	2	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville	10				5	50	80	130	1	6	N	N			855
43	Pilot Mountain	1806	1	4	William F. Vannoy, Todd	1			1	6	70	43	113	1	3					252
44	Pine Mountain																			
45	Pine Swamp	1948	1	2	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, West	17	1		1		51	13	64	1						212
46	Pleasant Branch	1931	1	4	Lee Waddell, Grassy Creek	2	2			1	31	5	36	1		Y	N		1	183
47	Pleasant Chapel	1941	1	1	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	2		2		3	54	24	78	1		N	N			175
48	Pleasant Home	1870	1	2	David Brown, Todd				1	4	69	32	101	2		N	N			300
49	Pleasant Valley	1926	1	2	Walter Day, West Jefferson	2				4	58	32	90	2		N	N			150
50	Prosperity																			
51	Rock Creek	1898	1	2	Glenn Woodie, Jefferson	1				6	30	10	40	1	6	N	N			120
52	Round Knob	1940	1	2	Tommy Salmons	1		1		1	66	10	76	2		N	N			79
53	Sabbath Home	1931	1	2	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	4		4	1	1	72	27	99	1		N	N			260
54	Smethport	1923	2	3	Walter Day, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	6		6			60	5	65	2	3					110
55	Sturgills	1933	1	2	Carl Haga, Whitetop, Va.				1	3	43	45	88							262
56	Three Forks	1835	1	2	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	6				6	51	46	97	2		Y	N			519
57	Tuckerdale	1915	1	3	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	5			1	1	117	55	173	1		N				500
58	Valley Home	1916	1	1	Noah Johnson, Todd	6	2			3	50	12	62	1		N	N			120
59	Wagoner	1949	2	4						6	71	33	104	2	3	N	N			600
60	Warrensville	1929	2	4	Larry Leftler, Warrensville	9	5		1		82	20	102	1	25	Y	N			2600
61	Welcome Home	1935	1	1	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	9	2			1	101	8	109	1		N	N			600
62	West Jefferson	1916	3	4	R.R. Campbell, West Jefferson	2	10	1	1	5	328	82	410		85	Y	Y			4650
					Totals	250	122	35	21	182	4294	2363	6657	70	270					58005

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATION Ashe State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associational Superintendent Rev. R. R. Campbell Address W. Jefferson

	CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																				
			40 Cradle Roll	41 Nursery	42 Beginners	43 Primaries	44 Juniors	45 Intermediates	46 Young People, Single	47 Young People, Married	48 Young People, Away	49 Adults (25-34)	50 Adults (35-64)	51 Adults (65-up)	52 Extension Department	53 General Officers	54 Mission Sunday School Enrolment	55 Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	56 Average Attendance	57 Church V.B.S. Enr.	58 Mission V.B.S. Enr.	59 Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	60 No. New S. S. Organized This Year	61 No. Extension Classes Church Conducts
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk			15		16					11						42	20	20		20		
2	Bald Mountain	Grover Campbell, Rt. 1, West Jefferson			15	12	18	15				40						100	70	77		77		
3	Baptist Home	M. L. Sturgill, Creston		5		6	5	10				20				2		46	12					
4	Beaver Creek	Warren Goodman, Rt. 1, West Jefferson		3	22	18	9	11	25			29		3		2		121	80	54		54		
5	Bethel	Carol Jarvis, Fleetwood			5		3		12				28					48	22					
6	Big Flats	Walter Parsons, Deep Gap	6	1	3	4	4	8	26				33			3		85	42	26		26		
7	Big Laurel	Glyda Roten, Rt. 1, Grayson			5		3							7		3		18	18	18		18		
8	Blue Ridge	E. B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson			1			5	2	1			6	10				25	18					
9	Bristol	Ralph Testerman, Jefferson			5	5	8	5	10		4		15	1		4		57	44	44		44		
10	Buffalo	Glenn Dickson, Jefferson		4	12	12	15		15				45			10		113	70	92		92		
11	Calvary	Clabon Wagoner, West Jefferson			6	5		12					10	2		6		50	37	42		42		
12	Chestnut Hill	Ruby Colvard, Crumpler		3		8	8				20	6	15					60	38					
13	Clifton	Cecil Shoemake, Warrensville				10	9	8				10						50	35	60		60		
14	Fairview	No Superintendent																						
15	Farmer Memorial	No Superintendent																						
16	Franklin	Dennis Powers, Rt. 1, Box 8, Bel Air, Md.			13	9	15	31					51			9		118	138					
17	Friendly Grove	Charles L. King, West Jefferson	4	6	12	8	17	21	16	51			26		13			174	104	68		68		1
18	Friendship	Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson			11	10	12	12	13	12		18	56	4				152	77	60		60		
19	Glendale	Charles Moore, Glendale Springs		7	3	5	6	10	5	8		18	21			7		83	69	62		62		
20	Grassy Creek	Dewey Cox, Grassy Creek			15	18	15	15	4			14	17	9				107	82	40		40		
21	Greens Chapel	Ovid Shatley, Lansing	3	8			6		2	3		8	15	2				47	25	35		35		
22	Healing Springs	Richard Neaves, Grassy Creek			9	6	12	12	15			80				8		142	84	82		82		
23	Jefferson	Bill Current, West Jefferson		6	11	10	24	9	7			18	13	12				110		55		55		
24	Landmark	June Blackburn, Rt. 2, Lansing		3	10		10		12			8	15	7				55	55	87		87		
25	Laurel Hill	Oscar Richardson, Rugby, Va.		3	3	2	8	11	2			9	15	6		5		64	40	33		33		
26	Laurel Knob	Joe Edwards, Rt. 1, Box 167, Todd			4	5	8	10					15					42	42	46		46		
27	Liberty Grove	Tatum Brown, Rt. 1, Todd		4		1		5	3	6		2	21	9		6		51	29	64		64		
28	Liberty Hill	No Superintendent																						
29	Little Helton	Wilford Porter, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek			3		6		21	10	3	4	25	2		6		80	38					
30	Long Branch	Hoover Eldreth, Lansing	4	4	3	3	6	10	2			12	4					48	32					
31	Midway	Jack Miller, West Jefferson			17	5	13	15	18			35	25					128	98	88		88		
32	Mission Home	Raymond Elliott, West Jefferson		4	5	4	9	9	6			17	10	4		3		71	42	41		41		
33	Mount Olive	Jack D. Surber, Rt. 2, Fleetwood	1	2	6	2	4		13	6	2	6	9	1		6		57	40	32		32		1
34	Mountain View	Jessie Denny, Grayson																59	29	44		44		
35	New River	R. D. Brown, Rt. 1, Crumpler			14	10	12	15				22	30			16		119	87	68		68		

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Associational Superintendent Rev. R.R. Campbell Address W. Jefferson

	CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																						
			40 Cradle Roll	41 Nursery	42 Beginners	43 Primaries	44 Juniors	45 Intermediates	46 Young People, Single	47 Young People, Married	48 Young People, Away	49 Adults (25-34)	50 Adults (35-64)	51 Adults (65-up)	52 Extension Department	53 General Officers	54 Mission Sunday School Enrolment	55 Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	56 Average Attendance	57 Church V.B.S. Enr.	58 Mission V.B.S. Enr.	59 Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	60 No. New S. S.s. Organized This Year	61 No. Extension Classes Church Conducts
36	North Beaver	Mrs. Jim McNeill, West Jefferson					6	4	8				15					67	30						
37	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing		4	5	7	14	22					20			7		79	47	102		102			
38	Obids	Mrs. Vilena South, West Jefferson			6		5	4	5	4			20	3		2		49	26	55		55			
39	Old Fields	Clark Church, Deep Gap		3	5	6	7	17	5	2	4	4	25	7		2		87	58	43		43			
40	Orion	Wiley Lambert, Jefferson			2	10	13		10		6	10	15	5				56	48	21		21			
41	Peak Valley	Glen McCoy, Creston					2	7			3	13						25	16						
42	Phoenix	F. L. Barker, Jr., West Jefferson		6	9	6	14	9	7	17			24		4	3		95	63	61		61			
43	Pilot Mountain	Odis L. Green, Deep Gap		2		6	4	12		4		8	21					53	44	15		15			
44	Pine Mountain	No Superintendent																							
45	Pine Swamp	Howard Blackburn, Rt. 2, West Jefferson			6	8	6	10	10				20					60	40						
46	Pleasant Branch	No Superintendent																24	24	21		21			
47	Pleasant Chapel	Kennie Greer, Lansing			4	6	8		8			10						36	24				1		
48	Pleasant Home	Kenneth Young, Grassy Creek			7				17				22			4		50	30	18		18			
49	Pleasant Valley	Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek		3	1		6	8					12			5		35	19						
50	Prosperity																								
51	Rock Creek	Gordan Roark, Creston		10	3	6	7	10	5	6	7	6	10	10		5		85	30	26		26			
52	Round Knob	Clifford Smith, Fleetwood			21		13					23						57	57						
53	Sabbath Home	No Superintendent																							
54	Smethport	John Day, Rt. 1, Box 58, West Jefferson			13		15	8	18				25			5		84	45	45		45			
55	Sturgils	Richard Little, Husk			6	10	15		25				25					81	50	33		33			
56	Three Forks	John Roten, Grayson			8	8	16	15					38			5		90	44	45		45			
57	Tuckerdale	Ora Sullivan, Lansing			11	9	16	18	19			28						72	72	85		85			
58	Valley Home	Herman Greer, Todd		4	4	5	6	5					14					38							
59	Wagoner	George E. Liddle, Jefferson			8	7	8	15	9			5	10	8		4		74	48	61		61			
60	Warrensville	John M. Burkett, Warrensville	6	6	14	8	12	9	12	4		10	20			2		100	70	85		85			
61	Welcome Home	Mrs. C. A. Goodman, Crumpler			12	8	6		22				20					78	48						
62	West Jefferson	Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson		25	20	43	48	39	27	15		48	55	40	10	3		373	186	165		165			
		Totals	24	131	393	331	528	471	436	149	49	552	931	152	27	143		4400	2736	2219		2219	1	1	

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associational Director William F. Eller Address West Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT															
			62 Nursery	63 Beginners	64 Primaries	65 Juniors	66 Intermediates	67 Young People, Single	68 Young People, Married	69 Adults (25-34)	70 Adults (35-64)	71 Adults (65-over)	72 General Officers	73 Mission Enrolment	74 Grand Total Training Union Enrolment	75 Average Attendance	76 No. Unions Using Alternate Adult Organization Plan
1	Beaver Creek	William Jordan, Rt. 1, Todd	2	7		14	9	15	15		16	2			78		
2	Big Flats	Worth Kimberlin, Rt. 1, Todd	3	3	4	4	7		17		12		9		59	12	
3	Bristol	Mrs. Minnie Day, Jefferson			5		10	10		12			3		40	25	
4	Franklin	Donald Weaver, Rt. 2, Box 207, Rising Sun, Md.	1	3	5	4	5	16	8	10	12	8	7		79	50	
5	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Jo Starling, West Jefferson		5		8	10		10		12		6	45	51	36	
6	Friendship	Grover Marsh, Jefferson		5		6	5	3			15		6		40	20	
7	Healing Springs	Henry Hartsoe, Crumpler		4		8	12			12			6		42	25	
8	Jefferson	Dean Bare, Jefferson			1	3	5	2		17					28	20	
9	Midway	Freda McNeill, West Jefferson		6		8	17			18	9				58	30	
10	Mission Home	Tommy Hardin, West Jefferson		2		6	5		11		8		1		33	19	1
11	Old Fields	James Allen Cheek, Deep Gap			3	4	12				16				35	30	
12	Warrensville	William F. Eller, Warrensville		3	6	4	8	8		5	10		5		49	40	
13	West Jefferson	Hoyle Stringer			12	8	28				39		3		94	84	
		Totals	6	42	36	77	133	54	61	74	149	10	46	45	686	391	1

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

ASSOCIATION Ashe State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associational Music Director Mrs. Cecil Shoaf Address Warrensville, N. C.

	CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ADDRESSES	77 Beginners	78 Primaries	79 Juniors	80 Intermediates	81 Young People	82 Adults	83 Special groups (ensembles, men's chorus, quartets, etc.)	84 General Officers	85 Mission Enrolment	86 Total Enrolment	87 Average Attendance	88 Church Have Elected Music Director? (Yes or no)	89 Hymnal used in Church Auditorium	90 Church Observe "Music Expansion Week" (Yes or no)
1	Glendale	Dale Neaves, Jefferson	3	5		1	3	15		1		28	25	Y	Other	N
2	Jefferson	Howard Dickson, West Jefferson				5		24				29		Y	Broadman	N
3	Pheonix	Mrs. Larry Brooks, Lansing			4	4	6	6				20	15	Y	Broadman	N
4	Warrensville	Mrs. Myrtis Shoar, Warrensville	5	4	4	5	4	19	4			40	25	Y	Broadman	N
5	West Jefferson	Mr. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson						20	3				17	Y	Baptist	N
		Totals	8	9	8	15	13	74	7	1		117	82			

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK

ASSOCIATION Ashe Stote North Carolina

For Yeor Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associotionol Brotherhood President Guy T. Shatley Address Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	Chrm. R. A. Committee and Addresses	32A No. Crusader Chapters	32B Crusaders (9-11 yrs.) Enrolment	33A No. Pioneer Chapters	33B Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrolment	34A No. Ambassador Chapters	34B Ambassadors (15-17 yrs.) Enrolment	35C Total RA Enrolment	36B Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	37B Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	38C Total Men	39C Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Page Norris, West Jefferson	Bill Hardin, West Jefferson		8		8		6	22		10	10	32
2	Jefferson	Richard Blackburn, Jefferson	Ronald Halsey, Jefferson							15			17	32
3	Midway Baptist	Howard Jones, West Jefferson		1	6	1	5	1	7	18	12		12	30
4	Warrensville	Harold Ashley, Warrensville	Billie Barfield, Warrensville					1	12	12	8	15	23	35
5	West Jefferson	Emmitt Absher	Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson	1	10					10		14	14	24
			Totals	2	24	1	13	2	25	77	20	39	76	153

TABLE F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATION Ashe Stote North Carolina

For Yeor Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associotionol President Mrs. C. E. Lindsey Address Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	WMU Presidents ond Addresses	91 WMS Organizations	92 Ungraded YWA Organizations	93 Career Girls' YWA Organizations	94 High School YWA Organizations	95 Ungraded GA Organizations	96 Intermediate GA Organizations	97 Junior GA Organizations	98 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Organizations	99 Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	100 Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	101 Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	102 Grand Total Organizations	103 WMS Enrolment	104 Ungraded YWA Enrolment	105 Career Girls' YWA Enrolment	106 High School YWA Enrolment	107 Ungraded GA Enrolment	108 Intermediate GA Enrolment	109 Junior GA Enrolment	110 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Enrolment	111 Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	112 Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	113 Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	114 Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Venita Miller, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson	1					1	1					5	36					9	7					52
2	Friendship	Mrs. Ray Bowers, Rt. 1, Jefferson	1											1	12											12
3	Jefferson	Mrs. Jimmy Hash, Jefferson	1	1			1			1				4	21	9			8			11				49
4	Midway Baptist	Mrs. Pat Goss, West Jefferson	1											1	17											17
5	Mission Home	Mrs. Mary G. Hardin, West Jefferson	1											1	14											14
6	Old Fields	Mrs. Herbert McCoy, Deep Gap	1											1	18											18
7	Pheonix	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Lansing	1											1	10											10
8	Wagoner	Mrs. Ruby Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson	1											1	20											20
9	Warrensville	Mrs. Fred Owens, Warrensville	1							1				2	15							9				24
10	West Jefferson	Mrs. Sam Davis, West Jefferson	1					1	1		1	1		5	93					14	15		9	3		134
		Totals	10	1			1		2	2	2	1	1	22	256	9			8	23	22	20	9	3		350

TABLE H TOTAL RECEIPTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associational Treasurer Guy T. Shatley Address Jefferson

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	147 Total Receipts for All Purposes	148 Pastor's Salary	149 Other Church Staff Salaries	150 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	151 All Other Local Expenditures	152 Grand Total Local Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk	315	120			132	252
2	Bald Mountain	Earl Hopkins, Rt. 1, Bx. 277, West Jefferson	1771	625	60	647	717	2049
3	Baptist Home	T. R. Sturgill, Creston	152	110			24	134
4	Beaver Creek	Paul R. Goodman, Rt. 1, Box 960, Todd	3307	1465			2006	3471
5	Bethel	Elihu A. Phillips, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	408	176			184	360
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Box 120, Todd	5712	1255			2216	3471
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Rt. 1, Grayson	207	383			343	726
8	Blue Ridge	Ed. B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	1180	340			592	932
9	Bristol	Miss Barbara Hash, West Jefferson	2280	600			1552	2152
10	Buffalo	Mary Ruth Swift, West Jefferson	2129	622		137	1396	2155
11	Calvary	Robert Lewis, West Jefferson	916	135			673	808
12	Chestnut Hill	Spencer Brown, Crumpler	462	269			164	433
13	Clifton	John Little, Warrensville	1202	480	115		796	1391
14	Fairview	Guy Teaster, Grassy Creek						
15	Farmer Memorial	Gray Farmer, Rt. 2, Whitetop, Va.	250	110			140	250
16	Franklin	Nora Patrick, Darlington, Md.	2817	1452			1075	2527
17	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Grace Harless, Rt. 2, Box 55, West Jefferson	6851	1975			2003	3978
18	Friendship	Mrs. John Witherspoon, Jefferson	5275	1667	334	2744	1030	5775
19	Glendale Springs	Dale Neaves, Jefferson	3572	706			2424	3130
20	Grassy Creek	W. Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek	3131	1340			1338	2678
21	Greens Chapel	Mrs. Carson Howell, Lansing		302			25	327
22	Healing Springs	Mrs. Annie Neaves, Crumpler	3786	1490		154	1269	2913
23	Jefferson	Mrs. Lola Porter, Jefferson	5631	1450			3830	5280
24	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Rt. 2, Box 124, Lansing	3203	1045		282	119	1446
25	Laurel Hill	Mrs. Nella Smith, Rugby, Va.	578	305			243	548
26	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Francis Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd	2300	960			1051	2011
27	Liberty Grove	Earl Taylor, Rt. 1, Todd	1600	635	64	45	836	1580
28	Liberty Hill							
29	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Box 158, Grassy Creek	253	604			225	829
30	Long Branch	Ilene Eldreth, Lansing	414	240			414	654
31	Midway	Loyd Witherspoon, West Jefferson	8508	2080			7991	10071
32	Mission Home	Clayton Greene, West Jefferson	2563	900			3100	4000
33	Mount Olive	Betty J. Surber, Todd	2358	292		150	2251	2693
34	Mountain View	Freemon Green, Grayson		95				95
35	New River	G. H. Pugh, Rt. 1, Box 74, Crumpler	2355	1190	72		752	2014

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36	North Beaver	Miss Ruth Hurley, West Jefferson	445	115			206	321
37	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Lansing	886	200			645	845
38	Obids	Mrs. Gladys Dillard, Box 106, West Jefferson	1155	650			257	907
39	Old Fields	Mrs. Cecil Yates, Deep Gap	5222	2085			2137	4222
40	Orion	Wade H. Bare, Jefferson		508		176	492	1176
41	Peak Valley	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Creston	737	300	72		328	700
42	Pheonix	Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing	3177	855			567	1422
43	Pilot Mountain	Odis Greene, Deep Gap	915	272	50		1232	1554
44	Pine Mountain							
45	Pine Swamp	Emory Elliott, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	1180	212			670	882
46	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.		183	113	40	50	386
47	Pleasant Chapel	Chester Elliott, Rt. 1, Lansing	450	175			250	425
48	Pleasant Home	A. F. Pasley, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	1100	300			495	795
49	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Rt. 2, Box 52, Grassy Creek		151	77		105	333
50	Prosperity							
51	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Creston	500	120			500	620
52	Round Knob	Mrs. Annie Severt, Fleetwood	22	79			71	150
53	Sabbath Home	Lester Eldreth, Rt. 1, Lansing	330	260			25	285
54	Smethport	Mrs. Walter Day, Rt. 1, Box 58, West Jefferson	901	110			469	579
55	Sturgills	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2, Lansing	601	261			135	396
56	Three Forks	Mrs. Edgar Mahala, Creston	2173	519			787	1306
57	Tuckerdale	Rhonda Powers, Rt. 3, Box 191, Lansing	1487	500	148	84	592	1324
58	Valley Home	Mrs. Grace Perkins, Todd		120			646	766
59	Wagoner	Mrs. George Bower, Jefferson	2086	600			1221	1821
60	Warrensville	Harold Ashley, Warrensville	5800	2600	200		300	3100
61	Welcome Home	Mrs. Blanche Goodman, Crumpler	497	600			234	834
62	West Jefferson	B. F. Cook, West Jefferson	27765	4650	2100		12341	19091
		Totals	131925	41843	3405	4459	65666	115373

TABLE I MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATION Ashe State North Carolina

For Year Ending (Month) July 19 64

Associational Missionary Rev. Lynn M. Powers Address West Jefferson, N. C.

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	153 Cooperative Program	154 Associational Missions	155 Designated: State Missions	156 Designated: Home Mission Board	157 Designated: Foreign Mission Board	158 Designated Christian Education, Schools	159 Designated Children's Homes	160 Designated Hospitals	161 Designated: Homes for Aged	162 Other designated objects (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	163 Total Mission Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk		42					B	13			63
2	Ball Mountain	Dean Lawrence, West Jefferson	43		34				42	42	24		185
3	Baptist Home	Fred Sturgill, Creston											
4	Beaver Creek	Mrs. Rosalie Goodman, Rt. 1, Todd		24			123		25	24			197
5	Bethel	Elihu A. Phillips, West Jefferson		4B									4B
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordan, Rt. 1, Box 120, Todd	139	24	21		50		126	76	5		441
7	Big Laurel	Johnie Roten, Rt. 1, Grayson	6	30					35	60	15		146
8	Blue Ridge	Ed. B. Parsons, Rt. 2, West Jefferson		25					40	40			105
9	Bristol	Mrs. Lessie Roland, Jefferson	5	18					35	50	20		128
10	Buffalo	Roby Swift, Rt. 1, West Jefferson	19	60			60		75	55			269
11	Calvary	Mrs. Arlene Woodie, Box 223, Jefferson	20		10				14	25			69
12	Chestnut Hill	J. Gwyn Gambill, West Jefferson	5	5						1B			28
13	Clifton	Mrs. Mary Hartsoe, Warrensville	14		10				75	17			116
14	Fairview	Mamie Pasley, Grassy Creek											
15	Farmer Memorial	Ada Farmer, Rt. 2, Whitetop, Va.											
16	Franklin	Mrs. Dorothy M. Belcher, Forest Hill, Md.							23	20			43
17	Friendly Grove	N. J. Myers, West Jefferson	450	264		30	163		16B	1B3			1258
1B	Friendship	Clifford Marsh, Rt. 1, Box 16, Jefferson	444	180		40	168		134	150			1117
19	Glendale Springs	Mamie Rose Miller, Rt. 2, Box 281, West Jeff.					96		50	43			189
20	Grassy Creek	Mrs. Dixie McKeever, Mouth of Wilson, Va.	150	75	25	25	125		100	100	25	66	691
21	Greens Chapel	Chester Howell, Lansing											
22	Healing Springs	Mrs. Thelma Fender, Crumpler	102	120			2B		112	161			523
23	Jefferson	Mrs. Hyte Blevins, West Jefferson	37				6		16	40	10		109
24	Landmark	R. L. Massey, Lansing	40	B4					50	50	15		239
25	Laurel Hill	Mrs. Barbara Davis, Rugby, Va.							10	20			30
26	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Myrtle Edwards, Rt. 1, Box 167, Todd	62	42					23	45			172
27	Liberty Grove	Mrs. Earl Taylor, Rt. 1, Todd	22	35			25		50	50	15		197
2B	Liberty Hill												
29	Little Helton	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 2, Box 15B, Grassy Creek								34			34
30	Long Branch	John W. Welch, Lansing											
31	Midway	Paul Phillips, West Jefferson	50	65	12	12	25	5	50	50	10	5	285
32	Mission Home	Garland Grogan, West Jefferson	53	72	B	20	70	20	60	60	15		378
33	Mount Olive	Ann Winebarger, Rt. 1, Todd							25	25	25		75
34	Mountain View	Beulah Wyatt, Grayson											
35	New River	G. H. Pugh, Rt. 1, Box 74, Crumpler	79	50					230	64	35	13	470

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36	North Beaver	Mrs. Tom Miller, Fleetwood	48						15	15			78
37	Oak Hill	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2, Lansing	14	48					84	15			161
38	Obids	Mrs. Nettie McNeill, Rt. 2, West Jefferson							20	30			50
39	Olds Fields	Nona Church, Rt. 2, West Jefferson	70	16	40	30	124	30	65	40	29		474
40	Orion	Clyde Bare Dillard, Jefferson	48	60					36	32			176
41	Peak Valley	Mrs. Glen McCoy, Creston	48	30					30	50			158
42	Pheonix	Mrs. F. L. Waddell, Lansing	18	30	10	14	20		79	34			205
43	Pilot Mountain	Howard Parsons, Rt. 1, Boone							16	21			37
44	Pine Mountain												
45	Pine Swamp	Howard Hartzog, Fleetwood		12					15	11			38
46	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.		14					15	30			59
47	Pleasant Chapel	Clarence Greer, Lansing								17			17
48	Pleasant Home	Mrs. Susie P. Pasley, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek	1		10				163	69	10		253
49	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Rt. 2, Box 52, Grassy Cr.	1						5	20			26
50	Prosperity	Mrs. Louise Witherspoon, Rt. 3, Box 10, Jefferson							20	20			40
51	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Creston	5						5	20		5	35
52	Round Knob	Mrs. Martha Cox, Fleetwood								12			12
53	Sabbath Home	Thomas Hamm, Lansing							30	15			45
54	Smethport	Mrs. Walter Day, Rt. 1, Box 58, West Jefferson							20	20			40
55	Sturgills	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2, Lansing	4	15					20	23			62
56	Three Fork	G. Everett, Creston	10						25	20	12		67
57	Tuckerdale	Lessie Clark, Rt. 3, Box 61, Lansing	25	25					61	22			163
58	Valley Home	Hazel Greer, Todd											
59	Wagoner	Mrs. Betty Seymour, Rt. 1, Jefferson	66			27			15	14			122
60	Warrensville, N.	Linda Ashley, Box 6, Warrensville			4	18	20		42				84
61	Welcome Home	Mrs. Louise Witherspoon, Jefferson							20	20			40[17]
62	West Jefferson	Mrs. W. L. Hughes, West Jefferson	3775	917	187	202	900		351	293	79	316	7021
		Totals	5874	2430	372	419	2004	55	2729	2378	345	405	17010

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Rev. R.C. Ashley ---------- Vice-Moderator
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Paul Hopkins, West Jefferson, N.C.
Rev. J. Herman Gentry
Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N.C.
Rev. Paul Phipps, Jefferson, N.C.
Olen Kearley
Rev. Bill Ballou, West Jefferson, N.C.

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Rev. Roe Paisley, Grassy Creek, N.C.
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Ira T. Johnson, Jefferson, N.C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State, Home, Foreign Missions ---------- Rev. John Goodman
Children's Home ---------- Rev. Roe Pasley
Hospital ---------- Rev. J. Herman Gentry
Pastors' Salary and Retirement ---------- Mrs. W.T. Whittington
Home for Aging ---------- Mrs. F.L. Waddell
Christian Education ---------- F.L. Barker, Jr.
Christian Literature ---------- Richard Blackburn
American Bible Society ---------- Rev. G.C. Burkett
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Y.W.A. Director ---------- Mrs. Hoyle Stringer
G.A. Director ---------- Mrs. Pat Goss
Sunbeam Director ---------- Mrs. Floyd Johnson
Stewardship Director ---------- Mrs. Herbert McCoy
Prayer Chairman ---------- Mrs. Venita Miller
Missions Study Chairman ---------- Mrs. Ray Bowers
Community Missions Chairman ---------- Mrs. Jimmy Hash

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Pastor Advisor ---------- David Brown
Director of Instrumental Activities ---------- Miss Maureen Shoaf, Warrensville
Director of Training ---------- Mrs. Larry Brooks, Lansing, N.C.
Director of Congregational Activities ------ Mrs. Dewey Campbell, West Jefferson
Director of Graded Choir Activities ---------- Mrs. Wayne Keller
Director of Publicity and Promotion ---------- Mrs. Delma Childres

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Vice President ---------- Harold Miller, West Jefferson, N.C.
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Paul Phipps, Jefferson, N.C.
Archie Clawson
Secretary ---------- Page Norris, West Jefferson, N.C.
R.A. Leader ---------- Bill Hardin, West Jefferson, N.C.
Christian Witness Leader ---------- Jimmy Lambert
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CONSTITUTION

Article I Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communities closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken as may be decided upon by the Association.

Article II Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in co-operation with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The

printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. The Moderator (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) shall preside over all the sessions of the Association, preserve order, and perform such other duties as are required of presiding officers.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the preceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. The Associational Missionary shall work with the Churches in promoting the program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and the Southern Baptist Convention and promoting the enlistment of the Churches in the cooperative support of the causes fostered by said bodies and under the direction of the Executive Committee of the Association.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational Missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual session.

Article V Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three for one year, three for two years, three for three years, and at the expiration of each term, for a period of three years. After the completion of one term no member shall be eligible for re-election to this committee until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this committee may be chosen from any one church of the Association. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to co-operate with the officers and pastors of the Association and the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and with the Southern Baptist Convention in promoting and advancing the work of the denomination within the bounds of the Association; to act for the Association in any necessary matter between sessions; to supervise and direct the work of the Associational Missionary; to perform any other duties

that may be designated by the Association; and to make a report to the Association at each annual session. Vacancies occuring in this committee shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct tne organization of new churches in accordance withthe rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed or mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister, to deliver the Associational Sermon, and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Committees named in this article shall be elected by the Association on the first day of each annual session unless otherwise here-in-before provided. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members to suggest the composition of said committees and their election shall be by the Association.

Article VI Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening on Thursday before the third Sunday in August of each year at such place as may be designated by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as hereinbefore provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII Power and Prerogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowship from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to co-operate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.
2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the only rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.
4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.
5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.
6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.
7. We believe in the final perseverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgement.
9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.
2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.
3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.
4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.
5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES

The Ashe Missionary Baptist Association opened its seventy-ninth session on August 12, 1965, at the Sturgills Baptist Church. The session was opened with devotional led by the host pastor, Rev. Carl Hagga.

The Moderator, George West, seated the Messengers.

On motion the program for the 1965 Ashe Association was adopted.

No visitors from other Associations were present and no new pastors to be recognized.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES:

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE:

Lawrence Goodman
Jack Pugh
Burl Hartzog

PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE:

W. E. Denny
Frank Tucker
Lawrence Goodman

Alternate - Mary Jordan

REPORTS:

On motion, the report of the Executive Committee was read by Rev. G.C. Burkett and approved.

The report of the Associational Missionary, Rev. Lynn Powers, was read and approved.

Report of Treasurer, Guy T. Shatley, was read and approved.

Discussion on this report by Rev. R.C. Ashley, Lynn Powers, and Rev. Rexford Campbell. Motion was made and carried by Ira T. Johnson that the Moderator appoint the Nominating Committee and they in turn appoint the Missions Committee

which would be different and apart from the Executive Committee.

Report of Budget and Finance Committee by Guy T. Shatley was read and carried over to the afternoon session.

Rev. W.E. Denny stated that no new churches were presented to the Association this year.

Election of officers for the coming year under the direction of Rev. G.C. Burkett were as follows:

Moderator ---------- George West
Vice-Moderator ---------- Rev. R.C. Ashley
Clerk ---------- F.L. Barker, Jr.
Treasurer ---------- Guy T. Shatley

Congregational Hymn

Report on Christian Literature was made by Richard Blackburn and adopted with discussion by Mr. Johnson and Rev. Denny.

Report on Christian Education was made by F.L. Barker, Jr. with discussion by Mr. William L. Lynch, Professor at Mars Hill College, and Mr. Ira T. Johnson.

Congregational Hymn

Associational Sermon by Rev. Lawrence Goodman.

Announcements by Rev. Carl Hagga and adjourn for lunch.

After a delicious lunch the Association convened for the afternoon session with devotion by Rev. David Brown and special music rendered by Miss Rita Lynn Kilby.

The Moderator recognized Mr. Walter Houck, Rev. Denny, Mr. D.C. Severt, and Mrs. E.C. Eller for their long attendance of the Ashe Association.

The report on the Ministerial Conference by Larry Lefler was read by Rev. Powers. A prayer was rendered by Rev. Ballou on behalf of Rev. Lefler who is seriously ill in the Baptist Hospital.

Report on Pastor's salary by Mrs. W.T. Whittington was read and adopted. The business session was continued from the morning session.

The Associational Budget was accepted with discussion by Rev. Campbell and Ira T. Johnson. The motion was made and carried by Mr. Johnson and Rev. Campbell that the Executive Committee be allowed to modify the budget as to where the needs arise.

The business session was continued with the motion being made by Ira T. Johnson that a committee be named by the moderator consisting of seven members, five to be appointed by the moderator, of which two shall be pastors, one a retired pastor, two laymen, and of which committee, the moderator and the clerk shall be official members to study the matter of a meeting place or meeting places for sessions of the association and make a report and recommendation to the next annual session of the association. Further discussion was made by Rev. Denny and the motion carried. The committee will be composed of: George West, Moderator; F.L. Barker, Jr., Clerk; Rev. W.E. Denny, Rev. R.C. Ashley, Rev. Roe Paisley, D.C. Severt, Ira T. Johnson.

Rev. R.C. Ashley discussed the importance of the church Clerk in filling out the church letter correctly and mentioned that Rev. A.C. Ashley and Rev. T.J. Cockerhan had been omitted from the list of retired ministers.

The Report of the Nominating Committee was read and approved by Rev. David Brown.

The Report on the American Bible Society was read by Rev. G.C. Burkett and approved.

The report on Public Morals by Rev. H.M. Winkler was read by the Clerk, and approved, with an additional motion made by Ira T. Johnson that special recognition be given to Rev. Winkler and Mr. Bower Duncan for their long and faithful service to

the association.

Congregational Hymn

Message by Rev. Herbert McCoy

Motion was made and carried to adjourn for the day.

The second day's session of the Ashe Missionary Baptist Association met Friday August 13, 1965 at Beaver Creek Baptist Church. The devotional service was led by the Rev. Elwood Goodman, host pastor.

Recognition of visitors: Rev. J.S. Hopkins - Raleigh, N.C.; Dr. Lin Fin Cannon - Elkin, N.C.

REPORTS:

Report on Sunday Schools was read by Rev. Rex Campbell and adopted.

Report on Vacation Bible School was read and discussed by Miss Mary Jordan and adopted.

Report on Training Union by William F. Eller was read by Rev. Lynn Powers and discussed by Mr. D.C. Severt. This report was adopted.

Report of W.M.U. was read and discussed by Mrs. Edith S. Lindsey and further discussion was held by Rev. Herbert McCoy, Rev. G.C. Burkett, Rev. Campbell, Ira Johnson, and Rev. R.C. Ashley. This report was adopted.

The Brotherhood report was read and discussed by Guy Shatley and adopted. Brotherhood discussion was made by Dr. Lin Fin Cannon, State Brotherhood President.

The Church Music Report by Mrs. Cecil Shoaf was read by Rev. Lynn Powers and adopted.

Report on organizational officers by Rev. Lynn Powers.

Rev. Campbell made motion to give executive board the power to appoint any organizational officers for coming year that are not put before the association. This report was adopted.

Recognition of other visitors: Rev. Bashmore - to speak on Christian Literature. Dr. L.H. Hallingsworth from Wake Forest College discussed Christian Education, also discussed 1st annual Summer Conference for Pastors at Wake Forest this past year. This is to be continued each year.

Payton Brown - Baptist Foundation.

Congregational Hymn.

Report on Evangelism was read and adopted by W.E. Burchett. The message on evangelism followed this by Rev. Julian Hopkins from Raleigh.

Motion was made to read report on Annuity Board and Hospitalization by Rev. Leiler at a later time.

Report on State, Home and Foreign Missions by Rev. John Goodman was read by Rev. Lynn Powers. Discussion on this report was made by Mr. Bob Bruhn, a representative of the N.C. Baptist State Convention. This report was also discussed by Mr. Ira Johnson, Rev. R.C. Ashley, Mrs. C.E. Lindsey and Mr. Guy Shatley. This report was adopted.

Rev. W.T. Brackett, former pastor of Friendly Grove Church, made a few remarks on his stay in Ashe County.

Rev. Lynn Powers adjourned the congregation for lunch with prayer.

In the absence of Rev. Larry Lefler, Rev. Bill Ballou opened the evening session with devotion.

Report on Childrens' Homes was read and adopted by Rev. Roe Paisley. Discussion by Mrs. Roe Paisley. This report was also discussed by Mr. Ken Little from Childrens' Home.

Report on N.C. Baptist Hospital was read and adopted by Rev. J. Herman Gentry. Discussion was made by Rev. Lowell Sodman from N.C. Baptist Hospital.

Report on the Homes for the Aged was read and adopted by Mrs. F.L. Waddell. Discussion was made by Miss Sadie Goodwin, representative from the Home for the Aged and also by Mr. Johnson.

Report on Baptist Foundation was read by Clark Church and adopted. Discussion was made by Mr. Peyton Brown of the chairmen of the N.C. Baptist Foundation.

Congregational Hymn.

Rev. Brown - nomination of missions committee. Moved to be accepted: Paul Hopkins, Rev. J. Herman Gentry, Floyd Johnson, Rev. Paul Phipps, Olen Kearley Supt. of Evangelism - Rev. Bill Ballou.

Report of Place and Preachers by Rev. W.E. Denny.

Report by Rev. Lefler, annuity board and hospitalization read by Rev. Lynn Powers and approved.

Report on Resolutions Committee by Jack Pugh in which Rev. H.M. Winkler and Mr. Bower Duncan were given recognition for their long and faithful service to the Ashe Association.

Memorial Service by Rev. R.C. Ashley.

Adjournment.

REPORT ON PLACE AND PREACHERS

The Committee on Place and Preachers submit the following report for the 1966 session of the Ashe Association:

Place: First day - Glendale Springs Baptist Church, Glendale Springs, N.C.
:Second day - Friendship Baptist Church, Jefferson, N.C.

Preachers: Rev. Roe Paisley

Alternate: Rev. W.C. Ballou

Respectfully submitted,
W. E. Denny
Frank Tucker
Lawrence Goodman

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Your Executive Committee met each quarter of the past year. The following brethren served as officers: Rev. G.C. Burkett, Chairman, and Bobbi Bare, Secretary.

Following the directions of the Association, your Committee selected a Missions Committee consisting of the following brethren: B.W. Miller, Chairman; Rev. R.R. Campbell, Paul Hopkins, Onley Burgess and Eddie Duncan. Your Committee felt there was need of a projector for the missionary. A committee - - Mr. Paul Hopkins, Mr. B.W. Miller, and Rev. J.H. Gentry was selected from the Executive Committee and they solicited funds from the churches and purchased a projector which the missionary is now using in his work. This projector belongs to the Association.

Your Committee would like to commend the churches for the fine way in which they have supported the Mission Program of the Association, and we sincerely hope for the continued support of the churches.

Your Committee would like to recommend:

I. That a Missions Committee be selected separate and apart from the Executive Committee.

II. That the churches increase their minute funds 10¢ per copy, in order that the

minutes may be mailed direct from the publisher to the churches. In this way the churches would receive their minutes much earlier.

Respectfully submitted,
THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Ashe Baptist Association

REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Nominations for The Associational Committees for 1965 - '66

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GROUP LEADERS

Group I ---------- Henry Hartzog
Group II ---------- Minnie Day
Group III ---------- Dean Bare
Group IV ---------- Mrs. Lenad Hudler
Group V ---------- Tommy Hardin
Group VI ---------- Freda McNeill

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G.A. Director ---------- Mrs. Pat Goss
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Stewardship Director ---------- Mrs. Herbert McCoy
Prayer Chairman ---------- Mrs. Venita Miller
Missions Study Chairman ---------- Mrs. Ray Bowers
Community Missions Chairman ---------- Mrs. Jimmy Hash

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President ---------- Guy T. Shatley
Vice President ---------- Harold Miller
Advisory Council ---------- Bill Burchette
Paul Phipps
Archie Clawson
Secretary ---------- Page Norris
R.A. Leader ---------- Bill Hardin
Christian Witness Leader ---------- Jimmy Lambert
World Missions Ld. ---------- Bill Current
Personal Stewardship ---------- Harold Ashley

MUSIC OFFICERS

Music Director ---------- Mrs. Cecil Shoaf
Pastor Advisor ---------- David Brown
Director of Instrumental Activities ---------- Maureen Shoaf
Director of Training ---------- Mrs. Larry Brooks
Director of Congregational Activities ---------- Mr. Dewey Campbell
Director of Graded Choir Activities ---------- Mrs. Wayne Keller
Director of Publicity & Promotion ---------- Mrs. Delma Childres

REPORT ON AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

If the people of the world are to know Christ -- the hope of man and nations -- they must have the Bible. It is the one primary source of knowledge of Him.

Today, when millions of people around the world are turning to the Bible as never before, and when there is a shortage of missionarys in the fields, Bible distribution is more than ever a "must." The Bible is the missionary's chief tool. The Bible itself is a missionary. It can go where the human missionary cannot go, stay when he must leave, and keep on working in men's hearts.

Every man must have the Bible in his own tongue if the word of God is to speak to his heart.

Since World War II, there has been the greatest demand for the Bible the world has ever known. People over the world are asking for the Bible in their own language. Missionaries are asking for the Bible or portions of the Bible to distribute among the people.

In most countries of the world, the income of the people is so low they cannot afford even the bare cost of the printed Scriptures. Someone must help those who can pay only a part of the cost and the many who cannot pay at all.

The American Bible Society, a Missionary non-profit organization supported by gifts is that "someone." It aids in Bible translations, publishes the Scriptures without note or comment, and distributes them without profit, usually below cost, for use in mission work round the world. For the blind, it supplies the Scriptures at a small fraction of the cost in Braille and other raised letter systems, also on "Talking Book" records.

Let us prayerfully consider this matter when we make our budget for this next year.

Respectfully submitted,
G.C. Burkett

STATE, HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

The purpose of the churches is to carry the gospel message of salvation to all the peoples of the world. Missions has reference to carrying out this task through evangelism, teaching and training. If we are truly interested in evangelism at home we must be interested in the peoples all over the world for that is the commandment of our Lord. (Matthew 28: 19-20.) "Go ye therefore into all the world, make disciples and teach them to observe all the things which I have commanded." (Acts 1-8) "Ye shall be witnesses unto Me at home and unto the uttermost part of the earth." The truth is we only believe in the things we participate in.

As we look over the records we learn that only 57% of the churches of the Ashe Association participated to any degree in State, Home and Foreign Missions last year and some of them only to the extent of 5¢ per member per year. This leaves 43% of the churches that did not have any part whatsoever in State, Home and Foreign Missions.

The only way the rank and file of people can have a part in State, Home and Foreign Missions is in a financial way as far as work on the field is concerned. How can we expect the Lord to bless us and give us the power of the Holy Spirit in our churches if we hold back and spend for ourselves that which justly belongs to Him and His cause.

Respectfully submitted,
John F. Goodman

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Your Sunday school superintendent has no earth-shaking developments to report of the work during the last associational year. Some of the meetings and campaigns that had been planned were held; others were not even attempted. Sound reasons for this failure may be hard to find although excuses abound. We will indulge in neither.

We would like to express our appreciation to Dr. Herman Ihley and the Sunday School Department of the Baptist State Convention for their help in the Pastor-Led Enlargement Campaign last October and regret to express our disappointment with the poor response on the part of our people. Many of our people who needed the help most could not be reached.

Plans for associational meetings and projects will be announced from time to time from the associational office and through other media of communication.

The task of our Sunday schools is a four-fold one. It is that of teaching, reaching, winning and enlisting our people. We reach them for Christ through His church; we teach them the Biblical revelation in order that we may win them to Christ in a personal committment to Him; and we enlist them in turn in this evangelistic ministry, and in Christian service. The great tragedy of our churches and Sunday schools is found in the class of Sunday school that has degenerated into a little mutual admiration club, meeting every Sunday and admiring themselves and having little or no desire to have a new person break into the charmed circle. Furthermore we need to change some of our ideas of Bible teaching and remember that telling is not teaching but in the Sunday school we should enter into a fellowship of searching, sharing and application of Biblical truth that changes lives.

Respectfully submitted,
R.R. Campbell

REPORT OF W. M. U.

We are "laborers together with God," chosen by Him to be His messengers of salvation to all men everywhere. Our permanent WMU watchword is a phrase from 1 Cor. 3:9, "Laborers together with God."

It is a sobering thought to be allowed to work along with God. A look at how Jesus worked with the Father is to show His followers how they are to work. Such labor involves suffering, rejection, physical weariness, selflessness, compassion and "love running over." A woman who labors with God in awareness of what it means will not be lazy, indifferent or selfish with her time, money or prayers. Serving will not be a disagreeable duty for she is not laboring alone.

Let us work and pray that our labor will be greater in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Edith S. Lindsey

THE REPORT OF THE N. C. BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC.

In the widest sense Stewardship "is the maximum use of one's life for the glory of God and the good of mankind." The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., encourages the Stewardship of Current Income in systematic and proportionate giving

from current income. The Foundation also encourages the Stewardship of Accumulated Possessions by single block giving at infrequent intervals from accumulated income during one's lifetime and/or at one's death. You will note that the Baptists have put the major emphasis on the Stewardship of Current Income. The Baptist Foundation seeks to put a stronger emphasis on the Stewardship of Accumulated Income. There are many ways that the Foundation assists a person in making his gifts through accumulated income such as: (1) by living trust, (2) by gift annuity, and (3) by bequests in wills.

The Foundation also serves by meeting with you and your attorney upon your request in connection with preparation of legal documents where the Baptist Foundation is to be involved. The Foundation offers services to individual churches, associations, and to all of our Baptist agencies and institutions.

We have been emphasizing the making of Christian wills. We have two films, "God's Will Through Yours" and "Treasures in Heaven," on Christian will making, which are available to any organization upon request.

C. Gordon Maddrey, Executive Secretary

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT 1964-65

Whereas, the churches of the Ashe Association have had the opportunity to meet in its seventy-ninth annual session on August 12, 1965 at the Sturgills Baptist Church and on August 13, 1965 at the Beaver Creek Baptist Church.

Be it therefore resolved that we give thanks to: The host churches, their pastors and members who so wonderfully provided for our comfort and needs; to everyone who appeared on the program, our local people and also those from other areas of the state for all the information we received from the reports; the great inspiration and challenge from the messages; to everyone for their time given throughout the associational year in helping to carry the work forward; to Rev. H.M. Winkler and Bower Duncan for their long and faithful service to the Ashe Association; to our Heavenly Father for His love and many blessings each of us have received. We show our thanks to Him by obeying His command to tell others in our communities and around the world of His wonderful love for them.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Lawrence Goodman
Burl Hartsog
Jack Pugh

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

(Fall Semester, 1964)

Campbell College	2,018
Chowan College	1,155
Gardner-Webb College	944
Mars Hill College	1,368
Meredith College	930
Wake Forest College	2,920
Wingate College	1,320

During the past year the contribution of Baptist colleges to Christian lay-leadership in church and community has been strongly emphasized. Our seven Baptist colleges, to date, have graduated more than 45,000 men and women.

Many of these graduates are not only filling responsible places of leadership in their churches, but are exerting a profound influence on religious, moral, and ethical life of communities in which they live. All during the past year testimonies have continued to come in from teachers, doctors, lawyers, industrialists, artists, musicians, homemakers, and many other categories too numerous to name. All of these testimonies assert two things: attending a Christian college gives a closer tie to the local church, and a greater sense of responsibility for Christian citizenship in the local community.

The Christian Education Day theme for 1965 will be centered around the contribution of Baptist colleges to denominational leadership. We have taken for granted that Baptist colleges are producing Christian vocational workers, and indeed they are. At the present time more than 500 students in the North Carolina Baptist colleges are volunteers for full-time Christian service and more than 100 of these volunteers want to be home or foreign missionaries. We have tended sometimes to forget that our current denominational leadership throughout the entire Southern Baptist Convention has been trained almost one hundred per cent in Baptist schools and colleges. During the coming months, leading up to Christian Education Day, the Council hopes to demonstrate the invaluable contributions which our colleges are making towards trained leadership for our Convention.

In addition to producing these trained Christian Vocational workers, hundreds of graduates of the North Carolina Baptist colleges return to the local communities to become active leaders in church and civic affairs. Moreover, college faculties, administrators, and students render valuable services to our churches by filling pulpits, teaching study courses, and assisting in the development of stewardship, missions, and evangelism.

The Christian Education Day-offers both an opportunity to learn about the colleges and a chance to increase financial support through the special offering. In 1966 the Christian Education Day theme will center around the Contribution of Baptist colleges to denominational leadership. The North Carolina Baptist colleges will join hands with the General Board and other institutes and agencies of our Convention in promoting a new five-year program of advance which is expected to be presented by Dr. Perry Crouch at the November Convention.

Let us all hope that the colleges and Convention can get together and that the college officials will be able to have a little more say in the administration of their affairs in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
F.L. Barker, Jr.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

The Training Union is responsible in these yearly tasks: M Night in December; Training it's new officers from October through December; Promoting along with the Sunday School Department January Bible Study; The Training Union Tournaments in March; Youth Week and Youth Night in April. This year it will be conducted in April, Study courses throughout the year. This is how we seek to assist the churches in their program of training.

We report that with the exception of Youth Week and Youth Night the Training

Union department has been able to administer a real service to the churches in this area.

We have been invited to speak in training unions throughout the association and teach study courses, for this we are thankful but we seek the participation of more churches in this work.

Until churches realize their responsibility in training their people for service we will not be able to help them very much.

Our Training Union Tournaments showed how much we need to be consistent and active in our churches to develop our people in the knowledge of the scriptures.

If the churches will plan a program at the beginning of the year including courses of study. Bible Schools, revivals and such ministries, we will not have other things done before these can be conducted and sometimes never held at all.

The Training Union Department stands ready to assist any church in these ministries for the asking.

Respectfully submitted,
William F. Eller

REPORT OF ASHE MISSIONARY BAPTIST PASTOR'S CONFERENCE 1964-65

The genuine description of a minister is to be found in Acts 4:4; "But we sill give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word."

Some of the programs have been very interesting and enjoyed by these who attend. They have been mostly open discussion of the Associational work.

The future success of our Association depends largely on the cooperation of the Pastors of the churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Larry E. Lefler, Secretary

REPORT OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY to the Ashe Baptist Association

The Associational Missionary's report of personal activities is as follows: August 16, 1964-August 10, 1965

Pastor's conferences	9
Committee Meetings	20
Group Meetings	24
Individual Conferences	147
Associational Meetings	25
Regional, State, & S.B.C. & W.A.	19
Churches Visited	31
Sermons and addresses	49
Institutional Services	6
Baptisms	1
Conversions	1
Ordination Services	1
New Organizations	2
Bible Schools	5

Study Courses	4
Sunday School Teaching	3
Audio Visual Aids	13
Surveying Buildings and Property	5
Mimeograph Programs, Bulletins, Reports	3,500
Miles Traveled	22,425

REPORT ON BAPTIST HOSPITAL

More than 35,000 sick people were seen in the clinics of our Baptist Medical Center in Winston-Salem last year, and more than 19,000 were hospitalized for bed care. These sick people came from all sections of our state, out of all kinds of financial circumstances, and with almost every type of serious disease and sickness known to man. Most of them were sent by their local doctors, because they had problems which were difficult of diagnosis or treatment, and needed specialized facilities and skills such as those found at our Baptist Hospital.

In addition to the sick people who were served, there were more than 700 persons in training in the various fields of medical care and Christian service. These students were studying in ten different schools, and in other fields of training in our Medical Center, and will go out to serve as physicians, nurses, technicians, pastors and other Christian workers, in our communities and churches throughout North Carolina and on our mission fields around the world. These schools offer excellent opportunities, and they are interested in qualified Baptist young people who wish to invest their lives in useful service to their fellow man and in the Kingdom of God.

The ministry of our hospital to people who are seriously ill and in meager circumstances lies at the very heart of its total work. All of our Mother's Day offerings are used for this purpose: when the doctors have given their skilled services without charge to these patients, and the money available from all other sources is added, every dollar we give is multiplied nine times over in free service to those who need help.

It is a high privilege for us in our churches to minister in the name of the Great Physician, through our hospital, to these multitudes who are sick. It will be a welcome voice when the King shall come in His glory and we can hear Him say: "Come, ye blessed of my Father; for I was sick, and ye visited me."

Respectfully submitted,
J.H. Gentry

REPORT ON HOME FOR AGING

Our Heavenly Father has greatly blessed the Baptist people of North Carolina in leading them in a great campaign to provide care for a goodly number of aging people in four wonderful homes. Namely, Rest Haven and Hayes homes in Winston-Salem; Albemarle Home in Albemarle, and Hamilton Home in Martin County.

We have been blessed to have two dedicated men to lead in this worthy cause, Rev. James M. Hayes led the movement in its infancy and early growth and gave his best to it. Now, Rev. William Poole is giving his time and fine talent to forward it on.

Surely we will not let His great cause suffer on account of our neglect.

One day soon we will be old and need a strong hand to support and give comfort to us.

"In as much as Ye did it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, Ye did it unto me."

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. F.L. Waddell

REPORT ON EVANGELISM

In the Ashe Association 62 churches reported 64 revivals, 185 baptisms. Six churches did not report. This could mean that many churches did not have a revival because many of them had as many as two.

The Divine obligation of soul winning rests without exception upon every child of God. The Christian receives the essence of this obligation and call at the time of his salvation. Regeneration demands reproduction in kind. The fruit of a Christian is another Christian. To witness for Christ is a spontaneous and natural expression of the newly saved child of God. The worldwide mission principle is present in germ in every case of spiritual regeneration.

God says: "Son of man, I have made thee a watchman unto the house of Israel: Therefore hear the word at my mouth, and give them warning from me. When I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die; and thou givest him not warning, nor speakest to warn the wicked from his wicked way, to save his life; the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at thine hand" (Ezek. 3:17-18).

Can parents with unsaved children, wives with unsaved husbands, teachers with unsaved pupils, preachers with unsaved all about them, read this tragic message of lost men's blood on their hands and rest in peace without doing their utmost to win them to Christ? What is it to stand at God's judgement with the blood of the unwarned lost on our hands? Paul said, "I am pure from the blood of all men" (Acts 20:26). But he also said, "I say the truth in Christ, I lie not, my conscience also bearing me witness in the Holy Spirit, that I have great heaviness and continual sorrow in my heart. For I could wish that myself were accursed from Christ for my brethren, my kinsmen" (Romans 9:1-3). To live in a world filled with the unsaved by God's free grace and to go to meet Him with no sheaves, nothing but leaves, a barren life, a crownless life--this is an unspeakable horrible thing to do. We can do better. Win someone. Take the blood of the lost off our hands.

Respectfully submitted,
W.E. Burchett

REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC. 1965

The care of dependent, neglected and homeless children is the central mission of the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina. In addition to providing care for children it is the purpose of the Homes to join hands with other Christian forces to strengthen wholesome, Christian family life throughout the state. Our people have supported this ministry in a most generous and commendable way.

Our Homes are serving as many people who need our help as possible. They are dependent upon North Carolina Baptists for support. Every gift, however small

or large, is appreciated and is used for the purpose for which it is given. Income through the Cooperative Program is becoming increasingly important.

The Thanksgiving Offering of last year is approaching three hundred ten thousand dollars ($310,000.00) and is the largest ever given. This suggests that our people welcome an opportunity to support the "helping ministries" of the church which are close to the heart of our Lord.

Two estates have made possible two very fine buildings which have just been completed on the Mills Home campus. Income from the estate of Mr. and Mrs. Leland J. Sadler of Anderson, South Carolina, was used to build a library. An addition to the church was financed from the estate of Robert M. Idol and Lela Idol of Winston Salem. These buildings will fill a most useful purpose in the educational and religious life of the Mills Home family.

There is a growing need for good Christian foster homes in which children needing this kind of care can live. Many families are finding much happiness and a great opportunity for service in caring for foster children. Thus, many boys and girls are privileged to grow up in Christian homes who otherwise would not have this opportunity. Should you have an "extra measure of love" to share in this way the Homes would like to know of your interest.

The need for a home in the western part of the state, more adequately to serve the people west of the Blue Ridge Mountains, has been discussed in various meetings and conferences. The possibility of such a home is meeting with genuine interest and enthusiasm. Attention is currently being given to a suitable location.

Members of the Board of Trustees and members of the staff of the Children's Homes are committed to the task of maintaining a Christian program of child care--a program that will merit the undivided support and loyalty of our people and that will bring honor to our Lord. To that end it is our purpose to meet, as effectively as possible, the challenges of our day.

Respectfully submitted,

PASTOR'S SALARIES AND RETIREMENT

This is an important subject. It is a subject which should be close to your heart.

Jesus taught two things when He sent His disciples out on their mission. First, that they should preach the gospel; and second, that the laymen should take care of them: for, said He, "the labourer is worthy of his hire."

If you study tables A and H in your associational minutes you will realize that pastor's salaries are far too small. The average annual salary is about $675 which means $56 monthly or $1.85 per day.

The annual gift per capita is about $11.00 which is less than $1.00 per month.

We are told that a recent study revealed that for laymen and ministers who had completed 17 or more years of school, the average minister made $3,112 less per year then the average laymen. Yet the minister has much the same expenses and perhaps more than the layman. In a comparison of income of 12 professions the ministers income was 9th from the top (almost at the bottom in fact.)

You expect your Pastor to be up to par in every respect and that is as it should be. Then loose his hands and hold them up so that he can best serve Our Lord through your church.

The annuity Board of the S.B.C. offers an excellent retirement and hospitalization plan. Since the beginning of the annuity board in 1918 almost 47 million dollars

have been paid in relief and annuity benefits to the men and women of God who serve S.B.

The health benefit plan is an all inclusive program of hospital, surgical, and major medical protection which is now being offered. The beginning of this plan is Oct. 1, 1965. Five thousand applicants are required by Sept. 1 in order to put this program in effect. (For further information see or write Rev. Guy Cain, 3011 Hillsboro St., Raleigh, N.C.)

There are requirements for churches as well as their pastors. Let me urge you as members of your church to help your pastor not only to feel secure now, but, to plan for his future needs as well.

REPORT OF MUSIC COMMITTEE

The Music Committee has majored in three different areas of music ministry: choir directing & singing, hymn playing and song leading.

Four workshops were conducted in each department with reasonable success. Most of the workshops were well attended but only a few of the churches took advantage of them. We are urging the churches to conduct singing schools this year in their church. The Music Committee is able and willing to help the churches accomplish this task.

If we are to do our best for the Master we need to develop our talents through practice, teaching and training.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Cecil Shoaf

REPORT ON PUBLIC MORALS

This should be called a report on Christian morals. Until Christians rise to a higher standard in their Christian living, public morals will continue to deteriorate. We as Christians are engaged in a WAR. A war against the evils of the world. We can talk about alcoholic beverages, dope, and the low sexual morals of the world, but talk is about all we do. Our greatest danger lies in passive acceptance of things as they are and we just talk about it. We aren't standing up against the evil that beset the Church and our nation for God. We need and must stand up to be counted for God as His children if we belong to Him.

More and more counties are voting and getting ABC stores. There aren't American Business Colleges either--THEY ARE PLAIN OLD LIQUOR STORES.

As I have said in reports before, the Christian life is not a vacation but a vocation. We're not called to retirement but to conflict. We, as God's Army, cannot and must not retreat. Until the children of God, beginning with the preacher, deacons, teachers, officers of the church, and each member take on the whole armor of God and march forth as His conquering army we cannot expect public morals to get any better. Christians must get back to the old paths and stand together against the evils of the devil. To do that we must put on the breastplate of righteousness, (not self-righteousness) the shoes of the Gospel, the Shield of Faith, the helmet of Salvation, and the Sword of the Spirit. Then and only then do we have the weapons to fight with and the Army to win.

After we are armed for God, public morals will get better because Christian moral will meet God's standard.

We do not belong to the world and it's way. WE BELONG TO GOD. We find

ourselves engaged in a very personal conflict. Satan's army is very real and very well regimented. So stand up for Jesus if you belong to Him.

Some church members take the attitude "It doesn't concern me. "Let me say with God, WE ARE OUR BROTHER'S KEEPER," And greater is He who dwells within us then he who dwells in the world. Through Christ we are more than conquorors--thanks be to God who giveth the victory. Let us in this day stand up and be counted and we alone, banded together in unity and prayer, can change the moral of the world.

WHERE DO YOU STAND?

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. H.M. Winkler

BROTHERHOOD REPORT -- 1965

We are happy to report on the work of the Associational Brotherhood in assisting the churches in their task this year.

We began the year in October 1964 with a Brotherhood workshop for all church Brotherhood officers. Reports of those who attended say that this meant a lot to their church Brotherhood. Later in the year the Associational Brotherhood sponsored a Stewardship Program for Baptist Brotherhood men with the theme "The Total Stewardship of Life."

During the year's activities the Brotherhood department has been planning a missions project, (A History of Baptist Associational Work). We are happy to announce this project is ready for launching. The Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention sought the chart talk given to our association last year by Frank Ingram of the Mt. Zion Association. The Home Mission Board has recognized for a long time the need of churches to know the history of associational work and the vital role it has in the church ministry. We have secured this chart on slides and the message on tape recording in advance of the Home Mission Board and we of the Brotherhood Department are ready to present it to the churches on request.

Under the R.A. Department we were able to organize 10 softball teams with the fine direction of Rev. Lawrence Goodman. These teams will be playing their tournaments on Saturday, August 14th at many of the school fields in Ashe County. We urge your support in working with these boys.

Friday evening August 6th, a barbecue chicken supper and spiritual program was sponsored by the Brotherhood for the men and boys of the association.

We look forward to an Associational camp for our young people in Ashe County, a new life in our Brotherhood work. Please pray with us that we will faithfully serve our Lord and in serving Him serve the needs of His people.

Respectfully submitted,
Guy T. Shatley

TREASURER'S REPORT TO THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 1965

For period beginning September 1, 1964 through August 11, 1965

RECEIPTS FOR ASSOCIATIONAL BUDGET

Apple Grove	35.00
Bald Mountain	48.00

Big Flats	24.00
Big Laurel	30.00
Blue Ridge	25.00
Bristol	9.00
Buffalo	55.00
Friendly Grove	264.00
Friendship	165.00
Glendale	25.00
Grassy Creed	75.00
Healing Springs	120.00
Jefferson	20.00
Landmark	84.00
Laurel Knob	36.00
Liberty Grove	35.00
Little Helton	7.00
Midway	70.00
Mission Home	72.00
New River	39.00
North Beaver	40.00
Oak Hill	33.00
Oak Fields	96.00
Orion	60.00
Peak Valley	30.00
Phoenix	60.00
Pine Swamp	2.00
Pleasant Home	120.00
Sturgills	30.00
Tuckerdale	25.00
Warrensville	120.00
West Jefferson	916.63
Alleghany Baptist Association	1,137.50
Baptist State Convention	1,650.00
Total Budget Receipts	5,555.91
Receipts for Missionary Home	363.50
Receipts for special purposes;	
Offerings, minutes, Projector	264.55
Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1964	534.82
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	6,718.78
TOTAL BUDGET DISBURSEMENTS	6,060.63
	658.15
DISBURSEMENTS FOR SPECIAL DESIGNATION	628.05
Associational Bank Balance	30.10
Receipts on 65 minutes	93.65
TOTAL BANK BALANCE	123.75
State Baptist Convention check for July will be received Aug. 15	150.00

AUGUST 22-28 - WEEK OF PRAYER FOR ASSOCIATIONAL MISSION
AUGUST 29 - SUNDAY IS ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS OFFERING DAY

Respectfully submitted,
Guy T. Shatley

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT -- 1965

The Vacation Bible School Work, in Ashe Association, had numerous problems, but inspite of all handicaps; we are made to believe that God was honored, and we are grateful for whatever was accomplished, for God and righteousness. Our record of schools is:

No. churches holding Schools ---------- 40
No. Schools, to date, reported ---------- 38
Enrollment for 40 Schools ---------- 1890
(An average enrollment of 47 per Church)
Average Attendance for 40 Schools ---------- 1632
(An average attendance of 41 per Church)
Mission offering to Cooperative Program, for 35 Schools in the amount of --- $503.54
Offering to Foreign Missions--2 Schools ---------- $ 13.84
Offering to Baptist Children's Homes--1 church ---------- $ 30.70
Total Mission gifts--38 Schools ---------- $548.08
Total cost reported, for 31 Schools ---------- $930.64
No. unsaved reported for 28 Schools ---------- 192
(An average 7 per church)
No. Dedications reported for 30 Churches ---------- 10
No. Professions of Faith 32 Schools ---------- 31
Pupils not in any Sunday School, 32 Schools ---------- 154
Pupils in perfect attendance 12 Schools ---------- 129
Schools holding Preparation Day ---------- 15
Schools having Commencement Program ---------- 19
No. 5-day schools ---------- 34
No. 6-day schools ---------- 3
No. 8-day schools ---------- 2
No. 10-day schools ---------- 1
Total schools ---------- 40
Schools 3-hours daily ---------- 10
Schools ranging from 2 1/2 to 1-hour daily ---------- 30
Total hours spent in 40 schools ---------- 440 1/2

Although we did not accomplish all we had hoped for, we are thankful for the report, and sincerely trust that results will be far greater in 1966. Please schedule your schools early, that there will be no hindrances.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Jordan

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

The invention of writing, about 4000 B.C., marked the beginning of what we call historic times. Every since then man has been able to keep a written record of his achievements.

Today the printed word serves as the greatest means of communication available to man. The significance of this to us is that we have an avenue open to us to keep in touch with fellow Baptist throughout the United States and even the world.

The greatest work of Christian Literature, of course, is the Bible. As we strive to learn more about the Holy Word we can be assisted by having available and using books that are written by men and women who have, with the help of God, studied and analyzed the scriptures.

No one would suggest that we as Baptist become so dependent upon printed literature that we forget our obligation to study and analyze for ourselves the message of the Bible. If we did that we would become so stereotyped that eventually we would be unable to be individual Christians. But Christian literature produced by our Baptist denomination can serve as a link among the members. Our denomination does hold certain beliefs and views and these can be perpetuated through literature provided by our denominational leaders. The teachers and leaders of our Sunday Schools form a great army of amateurs who have the most important teaching job on earth. They are not professionals. They have not made extensive studies of the Bible. They are not masters of organized steps in how people learn. They do not own large libraries containing Bible-study books, books on Baptist history and missions, Bible dictionaries, and commentaries. The most important thing is that they are dedicated Christians. The least that a church would want to do is provide quarterlies and other aids for them to use in this giant task.

The Sunday School Superintendent can, along with prayer and dedication, grow in leadership by using and studying the "Sunday School Builder."

The Training Union Director is able to expand his approach to leading his teachers if he seeks the aid of the "Training Union Magazine."

Today more than ever before, the home has a responsibility to teach children Biblical truths. But at a time when the family unit is loosening its ties, rather than strengthening them, the responsibility is not being met by the home. The Baptist magazine "Home Life" can help the family establish its Christian duties, It provides a guide for family worship and its articles can inspire the family members to assume their own responsibilities. This magazine should be in every Baptist home.

As Christians we have the responsibility of providing and caring for our elderly people and for our children who are without homes. If we fail in this obligation then we fail to carry out an important command of our Lord. Every Baptist should be eager to support and learn about what our denomination is doing in this respect. We need to read every issue of "Charity and Children" in order to determine if we are doing enough for our orphans.

We can say with certainty that our Baptist organizations such as Woman's Missionary Society and Brotherhood function more smoothly and are better organized when they use Christian literature prepared for them.

With serious moral issues facing us on every hand, Baptists need an accurate and comprehensive source of information. Secular papers cannot meet this need. These papers cover so many things--sports, society, business, obituaries, entertainment, national and foreign affairs, to mention a few. All too often religion is found only on a Saturday church page--if at all.

In the past year those who look to the secular press for coverage of Baptist events were disappointed on more than one occasion. The Southern Baptist Convention in Dallas and the Baptist World Congress in Miami Beach provide two examples. Even the best of the daily papers had no more than one article a day on these meetings. Some had none.

Where can Baptists get coverage of these and other significant meetings? The BIBLICAL RECORDER, their dependable medium of information for 132 years. Typical of its service, the RECORDER devoted special editions to these important meetings at Dallas and Miami Beach. Many people who read these issues said they felt like they were there. This is the RECORDER'S job--to be our eyes and ears when we cannot be there.

In many other ways the RECORDER serves its readers. For example, a bill was introduced in the 1965 General Assembly that wold have legalized distilleries in our state. Editorials in the RECORDER aroused our people and they, in turn, contacted their legislators. The bill was soundly defeated. A liquor-by-the-drink bill can be expected in the 1967 Assembly. Again, the RECORDER will keep you informed. With so many papers now accepting beer and liquor advertising, the question arises as to how they can give unbiased coverage to liquor proposals.

Let's talk money for a moment: The average Baptist family spends at least 50¢ to $1.00 a week on newspapers with little complaint. And yet, for only 4¢ or 5¢ a week--the cost of a stamp--the RECORDER can come into a home. If your church does not have a RECORDER club, please see that one is organized. Only four people are needed to form a club. Better still, send the RECORDER to every family under the Church Budget Plan. Our Baptist people must be enlisted in the fight against evil. The best way this can be done is through the pages of the BIBLICAL RECORDER.

Finally, we can rest assured that Christian literature prepared for our use is Baptist to the core. The writers are carefully chosen. The materials are Bible based, provide for growth and honor Christ. Besides Baptist have always been ready to share their positions and convictions with others.

This report on Christian literature is:

Respectfully submitted,
Richard C. Blackburn

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

J.E. Owens, Todd, North Carolina

MINISTERS ORDAINED

Howard J. Pugh, Crumpler, N.C.
Elijah Greer, Creston, N.C.

In Memoriam

BALD MT.
Mr. W.C. Hardin

BEAVER CREEK
Mrs. Josie Patrick

BIG FLATS
Mr. James C. Parsons

BLUE RIDGE
Mr. W.M. Berrge
Mrs. Lora M. Church
Miss Belvia Calloway

BRISTOL
Mrs. Bessie Proctor
Deacon Gene Lambert

CALVARY
Mr. Carl Privett

CLIFTON
Deacon Claude Riley
Deacon Joe Little
Deacon James Jones

FAIRVIEW
Mr. Arthur Ellis

FRIENDLY GROVE
Mrs. Dorenda Harless
Mrs. Mae Wyatt

GLENDALE
Mr. Otto Harless

GRASSY CREEK
Mr. Roscoe Plummer

GREEN'S CHAPEL
Mrs. Maudie Campbell

JEFFERSON
Mrs. Ray Blevins
Mr. George Phillips

LAUREL HILL
Mr. Reggie Richardson

LAUREL KNOB
Mr. Thomas Goodman
Mrs. Longa Grubb

LIBERTY GROVE
Mrs. Nannie Greer
Mrs. Dora Miller Mullis

LITTLE HELTON
Mrs. Genetia Blevins

MIDWAY BAPTIST
Mrs. Juilia Phillips
Deacon Goss Price

MISSION HOME
Mr. I.J. Cole
Mr. John Goodman

NORTH BEAVER
Mr. Fields A. Harless

OAK HILL
Mr. Everett Barker

OBIDS
Mrs. Verda Farrington

OLD FIELD
Mr. A.H. Church

ORION
Katie Bare Bowers

PHOENIX
Mrs. Eula Barker

PLEASANT CHAPEL
Mrs. Rosa Shepherd
Mr. Coy Eldreth

PLEASANT HOME
Mr. McKinley Blevins

ROCK CREEK
Mr. K.E. Orborne

SMITHPORT
Mr. R.L. Hodges

STURGILLS
Mrs. Minnie Dolinger

WARRENSVILLE
Mrs. Eslil May

WEST JEFFERSON
Mr. O.Q. Badger
Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell
Mrs. Betty James
Mrs. F.C. Nye

STATISTICAL TABLES

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Association: Ashe — State: N. C. — For year ending (month): August 19 65

Clerk: F. L. Barker, Jr. — Address: West Jefferson, N. C. — ZIP Code:

Moderator: George West — Address: Grassy Creek, N. C. — ZIP Code:

	CHURCHES	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	1 Year Organized	2 Location 1-2-3-4 5-6-7	3 Services 1-2-3-4	CHURCH CHARACTERISTICS AND GENERAL INFORMATION: 4 Revival Meetings held	5 No. Missions started this year	6 No. Local Missions operated by church	7 Baptisms	8 Other Additions	9 Members lost by letter, death, etc.	10A Resident Members	10B Nonresident Members	11 Grand Total Present Members	12 Members Received from non-Baptist Churches	13 Members lost to non-Baptist Churches	16 State Paper in Budget?	17 Pastor's Annual Salary (whether full a pastor for full year or not)
1	Apple Grove	Ted Davis, Husk	1889	1		1			5			44	13	57			n	119
2	Bald Mountain	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville	1910	1		1			6	2	2	98	81	179				625
3	Baptist Home	Walter Day, Smithport	1890	2	1	1					1	19	50	69			n	
4	Beaver Creek	Jack Pugh, Crumpler	1890	1	4	2			1		1	103	43	146			n	829
5	Bethel	Roe Paisley, Grassy Creek	1857	1	1	1			2	1	3	98	30	128			n	
6	Big Flats	Reeves Jones, Crumpler	1905	1	2&3	2			5	2	1	72	59	131			n	1047
7	Big Laurel	Jesse Denny, Grason	1880	1	1	2						11	18	29			y	
8	Blue Ridge	Gilbert Osborn, North Wilkesboro	1887	1	2&4	1					4	25	45	70	1			
9	Bristol	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	1888	1	2	2			5	3	6	110	72	182			n	600
10	Buffalo	Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson	1886	1	1&3	1			9	4	1	99	34	133			n	909
11	Calvary	Glenn Woddie, Jefferson	1960	4	2	1			1	1	1	45	4	49				120
12	Chestnut Hill	Sam Testerman, Crumplet	1928	1	2	1		2	8	6	2	24	34	58				497
13	Clifton	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	1891	1	1&4	1			21	6	6	99	65	164	1		n	454
14	Fairview	Reeves Jones, Crumpler	1940	1	1	1				2	3	17	22	39				
15	Farmer Memorial																	
16	Friendly Grove	W. T. Wittington, West Jefferson	1945	1	2	1					9	131	43	174			y	
17	Friendship	G. C. Burkett, Jefferson	1880	1	4	2			1	2	2	179	30	209			n	1809
18	Glendale	Paul Phipps, Jefferson	1914	1	4	3				1	1	51	74	125			n	624
19	Grassy Creek		1927	2	2	1			4		3	82	55	137			n	1200
20	Greens Chapel	Arthur Ashley, Warrensville	1954	1	2	1			3		2	80		30				270
21	Healing Springs	Paul Phipps, Jefferson	1888	1	4	1			4	1	5	164	94	258				1440
22	Jefferson	W. C. Ballou, Jefferson	1953	3	4	2			19	10	12	121	11	132	1		y	2050
23	Landmark	Lawrence Goodman, Todd	1856	1	4	2			6	1		94	158	253				
24	Laurel Hill	W. M. Sexton, Lansing	1948	1	4	1					1	56	7	63				400
25	Laurel Knob	W. T. Whittington,	1912	1		2			8	1		58	95	153				
26	Liberty Grove	John Goodman, West Jefferson	1915	1	2	1				1	3	61	10	71				
27	Liberty Hill	Bill Rose, Smithport	1907	1	1													
28	Little Helton	Lawrence Goodman, Todd	1923	1	2	2			9		5	85	36	121			n	
29	Long Branch	Carl Haga, White Top, Va.	1889	1	1	1			2		1	51	60	111				
30	Midway	Bill Burchett, West Jefferson	1953	1	4	2			8		2	151	14	168				
31	Mission Home	Archie Clawson, Boone	1892	1	4	1			2		2	47	17	64				
32	Mount Olive	H. M. Wrinkler, Fleetwood	1941	1	2			1				51	39	90				
33	Mountain View	John Davis, Grassy Creek		1	1	1						40	50	90			n	
34	New River	Fred E. Jennings, Independence, Va.	1885	1	2	2			19	1	1	163	75	235			n	
35	North Beaver	Douglas Parsons, Todd	1943	1	2	1					2	31	22	53			n	233

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Association Ashe State N. C. For year ending (month) August 19 65

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36	Oak Hill	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	1927	1	1	1					1	52	41	93			n	
37	Obids	A. F. Sells, Fleetwood	1892	1	4	1					4	40	44	84			n	625
38	Old Fields	Herbert McCoy, Deep Gap		1	4	1			1		3	94	53	147			y	1985
39	Orion	David Brown, Todd	1911	1	4	1					1	95	20	115				657
40	Peak Valley	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	1892	1	1							16	23	39				
41	Phoenix	R. C. Ashley, Warrensville	1908	1	2	1			4	2	5	51	79	130			n	800
42	Pilot Mountain	Noah Johnson, Todd	1806	1	2	2			3		2	72	42	114				
43	Pine Mountain	Lijh Greer, Trade, Tenn.	1956	1	2	1											n	
44	Pine Swamp	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	1948	1	3	2			2	2	1	54	13	67		1	n	268
45	Pleasant Branch	Lea Waddell, Grassy Creek		1	2				1			28		35		2		
46	Pleasant Chapel	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	1942	1	2	1					2	54	20	74				
47	Pleasant Home	David Brown, Todd	1870	1		1			2	6	2	74	31	106				1600
48	Pleasant Valley	Jesse Denny, Grayson, Va.	1956	1	3	1												
49	Prosperity	Henry Hicks	1949	2	2												n	120
50	Rock Creek	Glenn Woodie, Jefferson	1898	1		1			1		1	39	18	57			n	
51	Round Knob	John Davis, Grassy Creek	1940	1	1	1			5		3	73	27	100			n	305
52	Sabbath Home	Roe Pasley, Grassy Creek	1931	1	1, 3	2			5	1	3	62	10	72				
53	Smethport	Elwood Goodman, West Jefferson	1923	2		1			13	1	2	56	42	98			n	293
54	Sturgils	Carl Hagga, White Top, Va.	1933	1	2&3	2				4	2	49	46	95				359
55	Three Forks	Earl Hartzog, West Jefferson	1835	1	2	1			2		4	51	114	165			n	
56	Tuckerdale	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	1915	2	1	1			2	4	4	51	114	165			n	
57	Valley Home																	
58	Wagoner	Douglas Parsons, Fleetwood	1949	2	4	1					7	55	28	83			n	600
59	Warrensville	Larry Lefler, Warrensville	1929	2	4	1			5	6	4	112	34	146	1		n	3100
60	Welcome Home	Frank Tucker, Warrensville	1937	1	1	1			2	2		105	8	113			n	
61	West Jefferson	Resford Campbell, West Jefferson	1916	3	4	1			4	7	14	335	82	417	2	1		4800
		Totals				71		3	200	81	147	4178	2349	6486	6	4		28738

Table B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Association Ashe State N.C.
For Year Ending (Month) August 19 65
Associational Superintendent Rev. R.R. Campbell
Address West Jefferson, N.C. ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses (Include ZIP Code)	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT																					
			119 Cradle Roll	120 Nursery	121 Beginners	122 Primaries	123 Juniors	124 Intermediates	125 Young People, Single	126 Young People, Married	127 Young People, Away	128 Adults (25-34)	129 Adults (35-64)	130 Adults (65 up)	131 Extension Department	132 General Officers	133 Mission Enrolment	134 Grand Total Enrolment	135 Average Weekly Attendance	136 Church V.B.S. Enrolment	137 Mission V.B.S. Enrolment	138 Total Vacation Bible School Enrolment	139 No. New S.S.s. Organized This Year	140 No. Extension Classes Church Conducts
1	Apple Grove	Ervin Miller, Lansing			15		14					10						39	15	19		19		
2	Bald Mountain	Grover Cambell, West Jefferson			15	20	15	16				34						100	62					
3	Baptist Home	J.R. Sturgill, Creston		8			5	6				15						34	25					
4	Beaver Creek	Harren Goodman, West Jefferson		6	13	12	9		12			22	13	2		2		91	54	41		41		
5	Bethel	Mrs. Donnie Winebarger, West Jefferson			4	5	6		14				29					58	30					
6	Big Flats	Mr. H.V. Walker, West Jefferson		3	6	7	5	8	19				27			12		85	36	23		23		
7	Big Laurel	Glyda Roten, Grayson			3		7					8				5		30	18	30		30		
8	Blue Ridge	Ed B. Parsons, West Jefferson				1				2		4	7	8				22	15					
9	Bristol	Ralph Testerman, Jefferson			10	6	14	6	8	4	7	7	15	1	8	10		96	44	55		55		
10	Buffalo																							
11	Calvary	Claybon Wagoner, Jefferson		4	4	8	8	12					15			5								
12	Chesnut Hill	Fonda Brinegar, Crumpler			8		10				20		23					61	38					
13	Clifton	Cecil Shoemaker, Warrensville				7	10	11				12				4		44	40					
14	Fairview																							
15	Farmer Memorial																							
16	Franklin	(Withdrew from Ashe Association)																						
17	Friendly Grove	Charles King, West Jefferson	3	6	13	12	15	17	22			55		24	8			175	109	68		68		
18	Friendship	Guy T. Shatley, Jefferson			13	11	8	8	17	6		17	65					145	74	55		55		
19	Glendale	Charles Moor, Glendale Springs		9	12	16	9	8	4	6		12	12	5		7		93		64		64		
20	Grassy Creek	Mrs. Ella Hudler, Grassy Creek			11	7	12	17	4			12	26	9				98	75					
21	Greens Chapel	Ovid Shatley, Lansing			6			5					20					31	30	35		35		
22	Healing Springs	Richard Neaves, Grassy Creek		2	10	10	12	14	15				80			8		151	86	51		51		
23	Jefferson	Bill Currant, West Jefferson		8	10	13	30	15	7	31		10	10					134	80	70		70		
24	Landmark	Rev. Paul McClure, Lansing		6		10	10		18			30				5		85		86		86		
25	Laurel Knob	Joe Edwards, Todd			5	3	7	10				13						42	38	36		36		
26	Laurel Hill	Oscar Richarson, Rugby, Va.		1	1	6	4	8	5			5	24	5		5		64	40	22		22		
27	Liberty Hill																							
28	Little Helton	Bobby Waddell, Smethport					6		14	10	5		25	1		14		80	35					
29	Long Branch	Elmer Eldreth, Lansing		4	3	5	5	8				15						40	30					
30	Midway	Jack Miller, West Jefferson			11	10	15	19	25	38		16	10					144	109					
31	Mission Home	Raymond V. Elliot, West Jefferson		3	3	1	8	8		4	4	16	16	4		3		70	44	34		34		
32	Mount Olive	Jack D. Surber, Fleetwood		3	2	4	6	4	7	7	2	9	11	7		5		62	40	35		35		1
33	Mountain View	Freeman Greene, Grayson																		34		34		
34	New River	R.P. Brown, Crumpler			16	20	18	16				19	33			16		138	95	102		102		
35	North Beaver	Mrs. Jones H. McNeil, West Jefferson																67	35	20		20		

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36	Oak Hill	Lida Blevins, Lansing		4	2	7	9	18					24			7		71	46	85		85		
37	Obibs	Mrs. Vilena South, West Jefferson																40	25	52		52		
38	Old Fields	Clark Church, Deep Gap			4	8	7	11	10	3	5	5	30	5		1		89	54	49		49		
39	Orion	Hiley Lambert, Jefferson			3	6	12	12	14	4		15						66	45	38		38		
40	Peak Valley																							
41	Phoenix	F.L. Barker, West Jefferson		6	12	10	15	9	7	18			24	4		3		95	65	85		85		
42	Pilot Mountain	Howard Parsons, Boone			4	6	4	14				8	20	8				66	38					
43	Pine Mountain	Conley Winebarger, Creston											10					10	6					
44	Pine Swamp	Howard Blackburn, West Jefferson		6		8	6	10	10			25						65	40	22		22		
45	Pleasant Branch	Florence Young, Rugby, Va.																						
46	Pleasant Chapel																							
47	Pleasant Home	Kenneth Young, Grassy Creek			4	7			17			7	22			4		61						
48	Pleasant Valley	Rev. Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek		3			6	8				12				5	3	35	18					
49	Prosperity																							
50	Rock Creek	Gordon Roark, Creston		8	4	4	4	7	2	1		8	26	9		5		78						
51	Round Knob	Mr. Clifford Smith, Fleetwood			14		13					15						42	44					
52	Sabbath Home																							
53	Smethport	Kermit Lawrence, West Jefferson																						
54	Sturgills	Ricky Little, White Top, Va.			6	10	10		24			20						70	50	28	1	29		
55	Three Forks	Johnny Roten, Grayson			15		9	13					25			4		66	36	30		30		
56	Tuckerdale				6	10	16	17	20				26			9		104	62					
57	Valley Home																							
58	Wagoner	Eddie Liddle, Jefferson			8	14	11	15				11	11					70	50	47		47		
59	Warrensville	Bill Eller, Warrensville			16	12	22	19	12			14	40			4		139	67	85		85		
60	Welcome Home	Edward McVey, Jefferson			7	5	5	5	21			15						78	58	17		17		
61	West Jefferson	Mr. Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson	6	20	14	32	57	51	26	14		46	97		8	4		375	176	158		158		
		Totals	9	114	313	340	475	429	354	162	46	546	854	95	24	153	3	3983	2225	1576	1	1577		1

Table C TRAINING UNION

Association Ashe State N.C. Year ending (month) August 19 65

Associational Director William F. Eller

Mailing Address Lansing, N.C. ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT															
			141 Nursery	142 Beginners	143 Primaries	144 Juniors	145 Intermediates	146 Young People, Single	147 Young People, Married	148 Adults (25-34)	149 Adults (35-64)	150 Adults (65-over)	151 General Officers	152 Mission Enrolment	153 Grand Total Training Union Enrolment	154 Average Weekly Attendance	155 Church Provide Orientation Program For New Members	156 No. Unions Using Alternate Adult Organization Plan
1	Bald Mountain	Ronnie Hopkins, West Jefferson, N.C.																
2	Beaver Creek	William Jordan, Todd, N.C.		7		9		12	8		13		1		50	40	N	
3	Bristol	Mrs. Minnie Day, Jefferson, N.C.																
4	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Jo Starling, West Jefferson, N.C.		5		8	10		10		12		6		51	36		
5	Friendship	Grover Marsh, Jefferson, N.C.		5		6	5	3			15		6		40	20	N	
6	Healing Springs	Henry Hartsoe, Crumpler, N.C.	2		4	9	12				10		5		42	35	N	
7	Jefferson	Dean Bare, Jefferson, N.C.			5	6	3	3			32				49	33	N	
8	Midway	James Franklin Severt, West Jefferson, N.C.				4	6		11		5				26	30		
9	Mission Home	Glen Elliott, West Jefferson, N.C.	1	3	1	8	5		4	12	6	2	2		44	21	N	
10	Old Fields	James Cheek, Deep Gap, N.C.			3	5	5	4		1	16		1		35	18	N	
11	Warrensville	Edith Lindsey, Jefferson, N.C.		4	5	12	8	12			20		3		64	32		
12	West Jefferson	Wayne Keller, West Jefferson, N.C.	4		5	17	28			7	12		3		76	28	N	
		Totals	7	24	23	84	82	34	33	20	141	2	27		477	293		

Table D MUSIC MINISTRY

Association Ashe State N. Carolina Year ending (month) August 19 65

Associational Music Director Mrs. Cecil Shoaf

Address Warrensville, North Carolina ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	157 Beginners	158 Primaries	159 Juniors	160 Intermediates	161 Young People	162 Adults	163 Special groups (ensembles, chorus, etc.)	164 General Officers	165 Mission Enrolment	166 Total Enrolment	167 Average Weekly Attendance
1	Glendale	Dale Neaves, Jefferson, North Carolina	3	5		1	3	15		1		28	25
2	Landmark	Fred Blevins, Crumpler, North Carolina			20		4	22				46	39
3	Phoenix	Mrs. Larry Brooks, Lansing			4	4	6	6				20	15
4	Warrensville	Mrs. Cecil Shoaf, Warrensville, North Carolina	5	4	4	5	4	19	4			45	25
5	West Jefferson	Dewey B. Campbell, West Jefferson, North Carolina				2	4	18	1	2		27	16
		Totals	8	9	28	12	21	80	5	3		166	120

Table E BROTHERHOOD WORK

Association Ashe State North Carolina Year ending (month) August 19 65

Associational Brotherhood President Guy Shatley

Address Jefferson, N.C. ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses (Include ZIP Code)	Chairman R. A. Committee and Addresses (Include ZIP Code)	51A No. Crusader Chapters	51B Crusaders Enrolment (9-11 yrs.)	52A No. Pioneer Chapters	52B Pioneers (12-14 yrs.) Enrolment	53A No. Ambassador Chapters	53B Ambassadors (15-17 yrs.) Enrolment	54 Total RA Enrolment	55 Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	56 Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	57 Total Men	58 Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendly Grove	Page Norris, West Jefferson, N.C.	Bill Hardin, West Jefferson, N.C.	1	10	1	8	1	4	22		15	15	37
2	Jefferson First Baptist	Edwin Blackburn, West Jefferson	Ronald Halsey, Jefferson, N.C.							10		19		29
3	Midway	Howard Jones, West Jefferson	Paul Taylor, West Jefferson, N.C.	1	6	1	5	1	7	18		12	12	30
4	Warrensville	Harold Ashley, Warrensville	Ed Stanley, Warrensville, N.C.	1	5	1	6	1	2	13		23	23	36
5	First Baptist	Emmitt Absher, West Jefferson, N.C.	Floyd Johnson, West Jefferson, N.C.	1	18					18		14	14	32
			Totals	4	39	3	19	3	13	81		83	64	164

Table F WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Association Ashe State North Carolina

For Yeor Ending (Month) August 19 65

Associationol President

Address ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	WMU Presidents and Addresses (Include ZIP Code)	59 WMS Organizations	60 Ungraded YWA Organizations	61 Career Girls' YWA Organizations	62 High School YWA Organizations	63 Ungraded GA Organizations	64 Intermediate GA Organizations	65 Junior GA Organizations	66 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Organizations	67 Primary Sunbeam Band Organizations	68 Beginner Sunbeam Band Organizations	69 Sunbeam Nursery Organizations	70 Grand Total Organizations	71 WMS Enrolment	72 Ungraded YWA Enrolment	73 Career Girls' YWA Enrolment	74 High School YWA Enrolment	75 Ungraded GA Enrolment	76 Intermediate GA Enrolment	77 Junior GA Enrolment	78 Ungraded Sunbeam Band Enrolment	79 Primary Sunbeam Band Enrolment	80 Beginner Sunbeam Band Enrolment	81 Sunbeam Nursery Enrolment	82 Grand Total Enrolment
1	Friendship	Mrs. Grover Marsh, Rt. 1, Jefferson	1											1	15											15
2	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Peggy Harless, West Jefferson	1					1	1					3	39					14	16					69
3	Jefferson, First Baptist	Mrs. Martha Blackburn, West Jefferson	1	1			1			1				4	15	12			12			8				47
4	Mission Home	Mrs. Mary Hardin, West Jefferson	1											1	14											14
5	Old Fields	Mrs. Herbert McCoy, Deep Gap	1							1				2	18							10				28
6	Phoenix	Mrs. E. C. Eller, Lansing	1											1												10
7	First Baptist	Mrs. Sam Davis, West Jefferson	1			1		1	1		1	1		6	80			6		14	10		9	6		125
		Totals	7	1		1	1	2	2	2	1	1		18	181	12		6	12	28	2	28	9	6		308

Table G BUILDING–CHURCH LIBRARY–SPECIAL INFORMATION

Association Ashe State North Carolina

For Ending (Month) August 19 65

	CHURCHES	CHURCH LIBRARIANS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	18 Cooperative Program % of Total Budget	19 Associational Missions Goal Comng. Year, % of Total Budget	20 Value of Pastor's Home	21 Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	22A Money Spent on New Construction Property for Local Church	22B Money Spent on New Construction, Property Completed or Operated by Church	23 Total Church Debt at End of Year	24 No. Ordained for the Ministry During Year	25 Church Participate in Annuity Board Protection Plan?	26 Does Church Have Recreation Committee?	27 Does Church Have Library?	28 No. Books in Church Library	29 No. Film Strip Projectors in Library	30 No. Motion Picture Projectors in Library	31 Church Have Church Council or Cabinet?	32 Church Engage in Visitation Program?
1	Big Flats	Mary Jordan, Todd, N. C.		$24		8500	671				Y	N	Y	132			N	N
2	Friendship	Patsy Burkett, Nancy Witherspoon, Jefferson				16000	2844				N	N	Y	75	1		N	N
3	Phoenix	Margaret Roten, Lansing	$24	$60		10000					Y	N	Y	25			N	N
4	Warrensville	Mrs. Ed. Reed, Fig, N. C.	3	2	20000	40000			5000				Y					
5	West Jefferson				8000	100000						Y	Y		1	1	Y	Y

Table H TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION

Association Ashe State N. C. Year ending (month) August 1965

Associational Treasurer Guy T. Shatley

Address Jefferson, N. C. ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	33 Persons Enlisted as Witnesses—Result of Commitment Day in Jan.	34 Total Receipts from all Sources	35 Pastor's Salary	36 Other Church Staff Salaries	37 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	38 All Other Local Expenditures	39 Grand Total Local Expenditures	14 Number of Tithers	15A Budget Prom. or Emphasis Used: None	Forward Program	Growth in Christian Stewardship	Other	15B When Used: Not at all	Summer	Fall	Winter	Spring
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk		315	119			147	266										
2	Bald Mountain	Earl Hopkins, West Jefferson		4429	686	74	95	3791	4646										
3	Baptist Home	Fred Sturgill, Creston		115	100			15	115										
4	Beaver Creek	Paul R. Goodman, Todd		2443	829			1214	2043										
5	Bethel	Elihu A. Phillips, West Jefferson		422	215			141	356										
6	Big Flats	Mary Jordan, Todd		3581	1047	96	122	1508	2773	25									
7	Big Laurel	Johnny F. Roten, Grayson		216	325		12	150	487	3									
8	Blue Ridge	Ed. B. Parsons, West Jefferson		734	315			216	531										
9	Bristol	Mrs. Hazel Rhodes, Jefferson		1651	600			752	1352										
10	Buffalo	Mary Ruth Swift, West Jefferson		2742	826			635	1461	4									
11	Calvary	Mr. Robert Lewis, West Jefferson		932	120			532	652										
12	Chestnut Hill	Spencer Brown, Crumpler		1969	497			100	597										
13	Clifton	John Richardson, Warrensville		825	454	139		382	975										
14	Fairview	Guy Teaster, Grassy Creek																	
15	Farmer Memorial																		
16	Franklin	(Withdrew from the Ashe Association)																	
17	Friendly Grove	Mrs. Grace Harless, West Jefferson		8507	1663			18735	20398	18									
18	Friendship	Mrs. Ruth Witherspoon, Jefferson		5065	1809	374	469	2861	5513										
19	Glendale	Dale Neaves, Jefferson		3438	624			7996	8620	12									
20	Grassy Creek	Rex Blevins, Grassy Creek		3422	1285	120	57	756	2218	12									
21	Greens Chapel	Mrs. Grace Houck, Lansing																	
22	Healing Springs	Mrs. Wiley Neaves, Crumpler			1440	196		1564	3200										
23	Jefferson	Miss Mary Carter, Jefferson	7	6490				6267	6267	30									
24	Landmark	R.T. Massey, Lansing		5565	1162		103	3368	4633	6									
25	Laurel Hill	Nella Smith, Rugby, Va.		700	400			270	670										
26	Laurel Knob	Mrs. Francis Goodman, Todd		2230	880			1112	1992										
27	Liberty Grove	Earl Taylor, Todd		1453	576		141	419	1136										
28	Liberty Hill	Mrs. Doris Sheets, Jefferson		200				200	200										
29	Little Helton	Harding Testerman, Grassy Creek		668	570			865	1435	6									
30	Long Branch	Mrs. Irene Eldreth, Lansing		950	400			550	950										
31	Midway	Floyd Witherspoon, West Jefferson			2080				2080			x							
32	Mission Home	Johnny Phillips, West Jefferson			900			190	1090	12									
33	Mount Olive	Miss Betty Jean Surber, Todd		596	350		109	7288	7747										
34	Mountain View	Freeman Greer, Grayson			100				100										
35	New River	G.H. Pugh, Crumpler		2666	1489	72	142	1558	3261	6									

Table H TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES AND STEWARDSHIP INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Association Ashe State N. C. Year ending (month) August 1965

Associational Treasurer Guy T. Shatley

Address Jefferson, N. C. ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	33 Persons Enlisted as Witnesses—Equal to Commitment Day in Jan	34 Total Receipts from all Sources	35 Pastor's Salary	36 Other Church Staff Salaries	37 Expenditures on Local Missions Operated by Church	38 All Other Local Expenditures	39 Grand Total Local Expenditures	14 Number of Tithers	15A Budget Prom. or Emphasis Used: None	Forward Program	Growth in Christian Stewardship	Other	15B When Used: Not at all	Summer	Fall	Winter	Spring
36	North Beaver	James W. McNeil, West Jefferson		1166	233			636	869										
37	Oak Hill	Burton Miller, Lansing		1378	463			657	1120										
38	Obids	Mrs. Gladys Dillard, West Jefferson		1100	625			366	991										
39	Old Fields	Mrs. Cecil Yates, Deep Gap		5886	1985			2798	4783	10									
40	Orion	Wade H. Bare, Jefferson			657	46	89	215	1007										
41	Peak Valley	Mrs. Glen McCoy, Creston		862	340			183	523										
42	Phoenix	Mr. & Mrs. Charles King, Lansing		6195	800	269			1069	8			x						
43	Pilot Mountain	Janet Green, Todd		821	349	180		389	918	3									
44	Pine Mountain	Joesy Winebarger, Trade, Tenn.		60					12										
45	Pine Swamp	Emory Elliott, West Jefferson		1162	268			1364	1632										
46	Pleasant Branch	Blair Young, Rugby, Va.		550															
47	Pleasant Chapel	Clarence E. Greene, Lansing			400			250	650										
48	Pleasant Home	A. F. Pasley, Jr., Grassy Creek		2238	600			947	1547										
49	Pleasant Valley	Mrs. Jewel Blevins, Grassy Creek			125		40	95	260										
50	Prosperity						92		92										
51	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Creston		500	120	50		200	370										
52	Round Knob	Mrs. Annie Severt, Fleetwood		37	92			126	218										
53	Sabbath Home	Lester Eldreth, Lansing		540	305			100	405										
54	Smethport	Mrs. Walter Day			115		159	549	823	2									
55	Sturgilis	Edward Sturgill, Lansing		2007	293			1426	1719										
56	Three Forks	Mrs. Edgar Mahala, Creston		2925	359			2210	2569										
57	Tuckerdale	Ronda Powers, Lansing		2050	500	20	50	1141	1711										
58	Valley Home																		
59	Wagoner	Mrs. George Bower, Jefferson		1570	400			1513	1913										
60	Warrensville	Harold Ashley, Warrensville		6600	3120	168		520	3808	15									
61	Welcome Home	Mrs. Blanche B. Goodman, Crumpler		1520	500			847	1347										
62	West Jefferson	B. F. Cook, West Jefferson		26817	4800	2100		14204	21104										
		Totals		128308	39310	3904	1692	94318	139224	172									

Table I MISSION EXPENDITURES

Association Ashe State N.C. Year ending (month) August 19 65

Associational Missionary Rev. Lynn Powers

Address West Jefferson N.C. ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	40 Cooperative Program	41 Associational Missions	42 Designated: State Missions	43 Designated: Home Mission Board	44 Designated: Foreign Mission Board	45 Designated: Christian Education, Schools	46 Designated: Children's Homes	47 Designated: Hospitals	48 Designated: Homs for Aged	49 Other designated objects (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	50 Total Mission Expenditures
1	Apple Grove	Billie T. Little, Husk		42			4		8	15			69
2	Bald Mountain	Dean Lawrence, West Jefferson	58	45					34	39	24		200
3	Baptist Home	Fred Sturgill, Creston								6			6
4	Beaver Creek	Rosalie Goodman, Todd		24			102		25	25			176
5	Bethel	Elihee A. Phillips, West Jefferson					25		29	11			65
6	Big Flats	Miss Mary Jordon, Todd	108	24	23		38	10	114	65	5	20	407
7	Big Laural	Johnie F. Roten, Grayson	13	30	9				35	40			127
8	Blue Ridge			35					40	36		10	121
9	Bristol	Mrs. Wilma Mullis, Jefferson	9	8				32	35	50	20		154
10	Buffalo	Wayne Elliott, West Jefferson, N.C.	28	60			180		102	121			491
11	Calvary	Mrs. Arlene Woodie, Jefferson	31							25	19		75
12	Chestnut Hill	Faye M. Gambill, Crumpler							18	20			38
13	Clifton	Mrs. Mary Lee Hartsoe, Warrensville	14				30	16					60
14	Fairview	Mamie Pasley, Grassy Creek											
15	Farmer Memorial												
16	Friendly Grove	M.J. Myers, West Jefferson	420	290	50	58	153		168	163			1302
17	Friendship	Clifford C. Marsh, Jefferson	416	180		79	173	119	117	114	75		1149
18	Glendale	Mamie Rae Miller, West Jefferson		25		25	70		90	91			301
19	Grassy Creek	Mrs. Dixie McKeever, Mouth of Wilson, Virginia	150	75	25	25	75		100	100	25	49	624
20	Greens Chapel	Chester Howell, Lansing											
21	Healing Springs	Mrs. Fred Fender, Crumpler	107	120					150	100			477
22	Jefferson	Mrs. Hyte Blevins, West Jefferson	15							60			75
23	Landmark	Joe Oliver, Jefferson	25	84					50	50	15		224
24	Laurel Hill	Mr. Walter Perry, Rugby, Virginia							10	20			30
25	Laurel Knob	Myrtle Edwards, Todd	48	36					32	30			146
26	Liberty Grove	Loma Scott, Todd	61	35			42		50	55			243
27	Liberty Hill	Ovid Woodruff, Crumpler											
28	Little Helton	Harding Wayne Testerman, Grassy Creek							24	14			38
29	Long Branch	John Welch, Lansing											
30	Midway	Paul Phillips, West Jefferson, N.C.	100	70	12		22		63	83			350
31	Mission Home	Mrs. Raymond Elliot, West Jefferson , N.C.	40	72	25	25	50	17	50	50	10		339
32	Mount Olive	Sylvia Surber, Fleetwood, N.C.	37						25	25	50		137
33	Mountain View	Beulah Wyatt, Grayson, N.C.											
34	New River	G.H. Pugh, Crumpler, N.C.		50	17	29			243	38	28		405
35	North Beaver	Mrs. Tom Miller, West Jefferson, N.C.	48						35	30			113

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Association Ashe State N. Carolina Year ending (month) August 19 65

Associational Missionary Rev. Lynn Powers

Address West Jefferson, North Carolina ZIP Code

	CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES (Include ZIP Code)	40 Cooperative Program	41 Associational Missions	42 Designated: State Missions	43 Designated: Home Mission Board	44 Designated: Foreign Mission Board	45 Designated: Christian Education, Schools	46 Designated: Children's Homes	47 Designated: Hospitals	48 Designated: Home for Aged	49 Other designated objects (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	50 Total Mission Expenditures
36	Oak Hill	Junior Elliot, Lansing, N.C.	11	36					97				144
37	Obids	Mrs. Nettie McNiell, West Jefferson, N.C.	30	10					20	25			85
38	Old Fields	Miss Nona Church, West Jefferson, N.C.	63	96	34	50	100	13	38	25	20		439
39	Orion	Clyde B. Dillard, Jefferson, N.C.	52	60					50	32			194
40	Peak Valley		48	30			31		30	50			189
41	Phoenix	Mrs. F.T. Waddell, Lansing, N.C.	24	60	24		20	24	48	36	30		266
42	Pilot Mountain	Howard Parsons, Todd, N.C.							15				15
43	Pine Mountain	Joesi Winebarger, Trade, Tenn.											
44	Pine Swamp	Howard Hartzog, Fleetwood, N.C.		5					17	14			36
45	Pleasant Branch												
46	Pleasant Chapel	Clarence Greer, Lansing, N.C.							29				29
47	Pleasant Home	Mrs. Susie Pasley, Grassy Creek, N.C.	12	120	10				171	100	25		438
48	Pleasant Valley	Ward Ballou, Grassy Creek, N.C.							10	9			19
49	Prosperity												
50	Rock Creek	Beatrice Price, Creston, N.C.								25	5	31	61
51	Round Knob	Mrs. Martha Cox, Fleetwood, N.C.								12			12
52	Sabbath Home	Thomas Hamm, Lansing, N.C.							50	15			65
53	Smethport								20	20			40
54	Sturgills	Edward Sturgil, Lansing, N.C.		30					20	20			70
55	Three Forks	Mrs. Edgar Mahala, Creston, N.C.	7						20	16	14		57
56	Tuckerdale	Lessie Clark Lansing, N.C.	25	25					66	60		30	206
57	Valley Home												
58	Wagoner	C.B. Colvard, Jefferson, N.C.	31				19		11	15			76
59	Warrensville	Linda Ashley, Warrensville, N.C.	128	120						25	16		289
60	Welcome Home	Mrs. Louise Witherspoon, Jefferson, N.C.							20	20			40
61	West Jefferson	Mrs. W.L. Hughes, West Jefferson, N.C.	4050	1000	202	234	978		333	297	126	50	7270
		Totals	6209	2897	431	525	2082	215	2742	2308	507	190	18106

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